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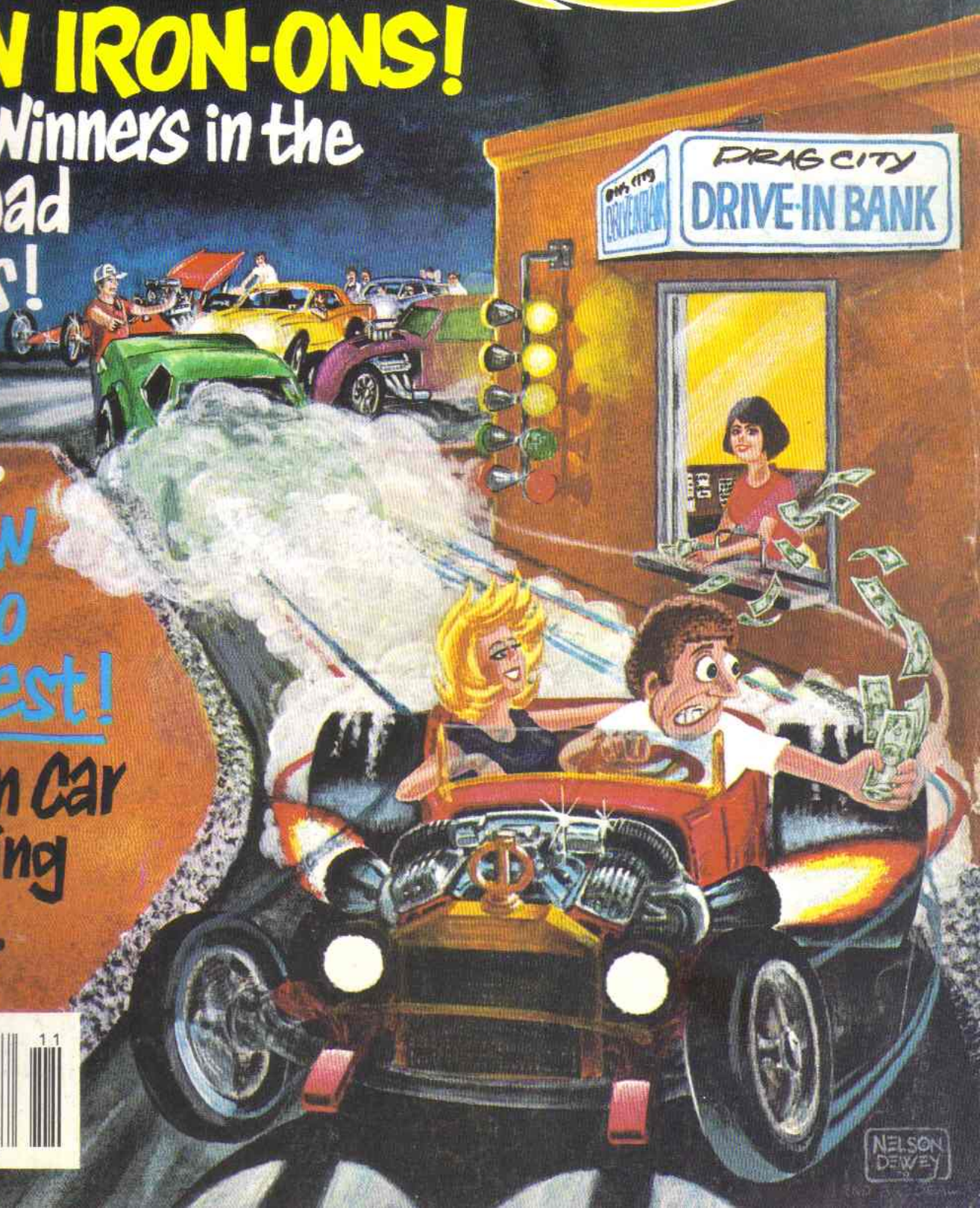


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# CAR QUIZ

BY SUSAN PLESKO

Using the definitions below, identify each of the following words containing CAR.

1. A large rug which covers all of the floor — CAR _ _ _
2. A bright red color — _ CAR _ _ _
3. A builder of houses — CAR _ _ _ _ _ _
4. The "Johnny" of a late-night talk show — CAR _ _ _
5. A cosmetic women use on their eyelashes — _ _ _ CAR _
6. A load carried by a ship — CAR _ _
7. A bright red American songbird — CAR _ _ _ _ _
8. A mark left after a wound has healed — _ CAR
9. The dead body of any animal — CAR _ _ _ _
10. A unit of weight for precious stones — CAR _ _
11. To confine or imprison — _ _ CAR _ _ _ _ _ _
12. A Christmas song — CAR _ _
13. What you need to play poker — CAR _ _
14. An orange root-type vegetable — CAR _ _ _
15. Not plentiful; hard to get — _ CAR _ _
16. Engine part which mixes air and gas — CAR _ _ _ _ _ _ _
17. Ladies' head covering — _ CAR _
18. Entertainment place with rides and sideshows — CAR _ _ _ _ _
19. Funny, comic drawing — CAR _ _ _ _
20. It frightens birds out of fields — _ CAR _ _ _ _ _

*ANSWERS*

*1. carpet 2. scarlet 3. carpenter 4. Carson 5. mascara 6. cargo 7. cardinal 8. scar 9. carcass 10. carat 11. incarcerate 12. carol 13. cards 14. carrot 15. scarce 16. carburetor 17. scarf 18. carnival 19. cartoon 20. scarecrow*

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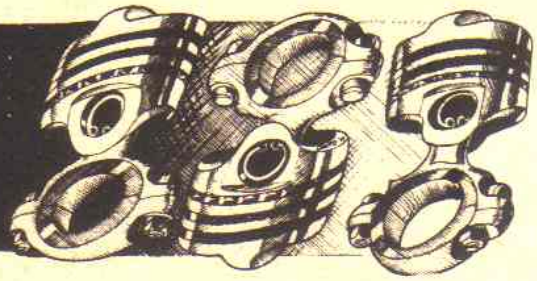


**Letters to this column should be addressed to:**

**It's Your 15¢/Quick Irving, 8490 Sunset Blvd., Los Angeles, CA 90069**

I started reading your magazine in June of '76. I bought your SUPER EXCELLENT mag 7 more times after that. After I bought those, I couldn't find the mag anywhere. I was mad. I kept looking and looking and I found my last issues (May '79 and July '79) . . . after much trouble. They were GREAT, though. I really liked the 2 iron-ons and Krass and Bernies. My favorite artist is George Trosley. I really liked the part in the July '79 issues about tips on drawing cars. I think you guys should have more of those tips but on car bodies and engines. I really like 'Vettes and 'Cudas. Could you guys, please, please draw me one? (PS . . . Keep up the SUPER work.)

Dave Sahijdak
Warren, Michigan

*—Thanks to tipping us off to your wants, Mr. Super Excellent.*

Can you print some Ford P.U.'s and some Camaros? I really like It's Your 15 Cents and the Side Shows. Please print this . . . sure like your Mag and am waiting for the next issue . . . .

Kelly Cargile
Hobbs, New Mexico

*—We liked your letter, too . . . are waiting for your next one . . . Ford P.U.'s . . . right . . . .*

Hi, guys! Just thought I'd write a little letter to you all! I really think your mag is the greatest ever. I hang around the newstands waiting for it. Krass and Bernie are the best. I like Side Show, too. I hope you go monthly and make bigger issues. I also have a questions . . . does it hurt to fold drawings when we send them to you? Also, I disagree with Kenneth Beiber of Bakersfield (July '79) about Mopars not being the best on the road. Mopars are beautiful/ Yes, they are/ That's why they're America's/ Favorite car. Remember that:

Bill Parks
Naples, Florida

*—Yessir, Bill! Mo' Pow-ar to you!*

Hi, guys . . . your magazine is outstanding and the best magazine I've ever read. When my dad was little he always read it and I like reading it, too. We like off-roading and this is my first issue . . . I love it. (Especially the iron-ons.)

Steve Hawkins
Middlebury, Indiana

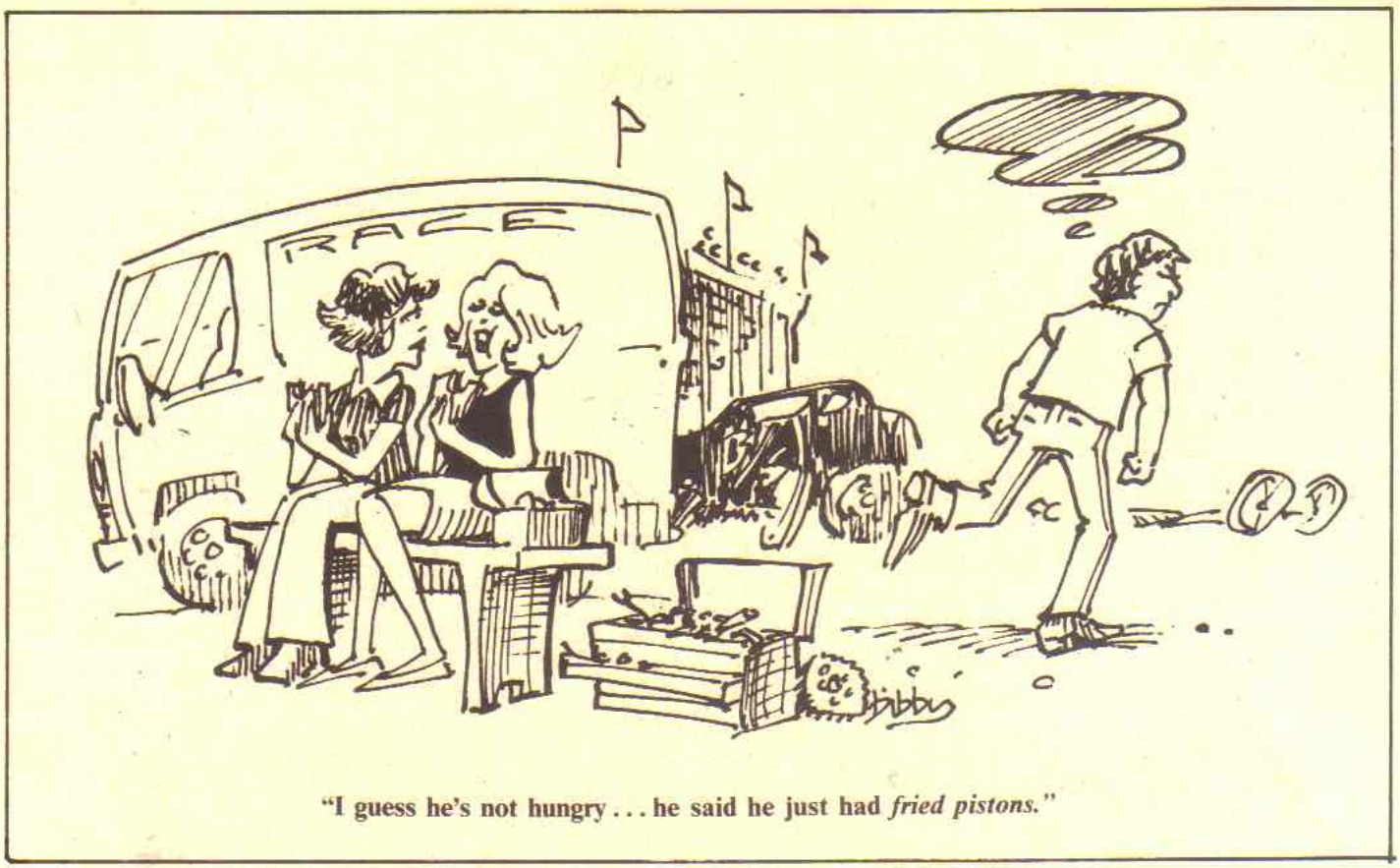
*—Welcome to our Automo-world. We here at the controls hardly notice the time race by . . . we must be having fun. Stay tuned.*

I have a complaint. Your iron-ons ain't the best. Instead of ink, they should be that plastic stuff like all the rest around. Other than that, the iron-ons also made me go out and buy two new T-shirts to put them on . . . then I had to buy two new pairs of blue jeans to wear with the shirts. Well, keep up with the times . . . keep your magazine coming.

Billy Joe Jennings

*—You may consider our iron-ons an incentive to the American Economy. We try to be patriotic around here . . . .*

I got interested in your mag via a friend who gave me some of his old issues. Since then I've collected every issue you've put out and have gotten a lot of my friends interested. I




**"I guess he's not hungry . . . he said he just had *fried pistons.*"**

really enjoy your mag especially right now 'cuz I broke my leg and all I can do is read your mag and draw. Thank you.

Scott Lippold
Omaha, Nebraska

*—Through rain and sleet and snow, despite broken legs, CARtoons came through. We're glad to hear. Hope you're up and about by now.*

My last letter to any of your magazines was ten years ago this month . . . back in Cycletoons, June '69. Well, just thought I'd let y'all know I'm still a fan. Maybe even more so now that y'all run a drawing or two of mine from time to time in Side Show or a contest. You guys keep making CARtoons better and better, except for the fact that it isn't monthly anymore—why not? One other question, what happened to Hank Hinton who used to draw Hogg Ryder? Hinton's fantastic and I learned quite a lot from his style during his stay at Petersen. Course, y'all still have a lot of good artists, but I'd still like to see Hinton and a few others around from time to time. Y'all for sure have the best magazine around, so keep it up and I'll write you again in another ten years. Keep running Reader's Gallery, Side Show and contests for us readers 'cause we're behind y'all 100%! Keep on Roddin'.

Donn Baggett & General Lee
Sevierville, Tennessee

*—You give us a sense of permanence, folks. We'll hunt around for news on Hinton for 'ya- . . . lookin' forward to the next decade . . . .*

IRVING: Do you know why you're not getting enough mail? It's because some people don't want to spend "Their 15 Cents." Keep up the good work.

From Someone Who Spent the 15 Cents
Lost Somewhere in Texas

*—We're sympathetic and grateful to those who do. (PS The band-aid was very funny but made the letter difficult to open . . . .)*

I figured that since I've been reading your mag since back in '72, before it became the CARtoons it is now . . . I ought to write. Krass and Bernie are A-OK. Glad to see you got rid of Ol' Hogg. How about a couple of articles on El Caminos and Rancheros for the freaks that still go for those autos? One thing bad . . . I thought this was supposed to be

about things on wheels . . . not a pen pal magazine. But the rest of your mag is great.

Rich
Adak, Alaska (Yes, it's a real place)

*—We do some of each for all. Will put some El Caminos & Rancheros on the grill. Thanks for your words.*

Hi. I just have your May ish and I think it's tops. One problem—the time I bought your mag was the only time I've ever seen it in my town. Could you please tell me if there is any store around here that sells it regularly? Any why can't you get subscriptions to CARtoons? That would be great! Thanx a lot.

Al (female)
Silver Bay, Minnesota

*—Check with your local distributor, they're usually glad to help. As for subs, well, In The Beginning CARtoons Was Created Without Subscriptions (and it took well over a week to do it, too.) . . . .*

Hey, I really dig your mag and I can really get into Krass and Bernie. Keep those contests coming. As I was lookin' through your last issue (July '79), I glanced over It's Your 15 Cents and saw Kenneth Beiber's letter. I disagree with it, but don't get me wrong, I'm a Big Chevy Fan and I especially dig Camaros. The only thing I disagree with is that not only HIS Chevy but ALL Chevys can run over ANY Mopar on the street or the strip! Chevy Lovers Unite! Keep the good mags comin'.

Rod Schram
Peru, Indiana

*—You were made in Detroit, huh?*

HI, THERE! Just a word to tell you that up here in the north country we're doin' fine. You have made a lot of complaints about not enough letters. WELL, HERE'S A LETTER- . . . PRINT IT AND STOP YOUR CUSSIN! As far as best cars go, MOPAR beats them all and I would like to see more of them in your mag. Yours is the only magazine I buy because you're the only mag that's any good. I hope in the next couple of years you guys will get your act together and start subs. K & B are theeee best . . . with a big thanks to Trosley. I think you should have a whole magazine devoted to junkyards, and people pulling old cars out and fixin' them up into street rods. I end with a poem: First they started with DRAGtoons hummin' down the strip/ CYCLEtoons was second, when Harleys were so hip/ Now in '79 CARtoons is the scene/ What's in store for the future? STARtoons in the 21st Century?

Gary Spoden
Cold Spring, Minnesota

*—Top Drawer, Gary. We really appreciate your writing in.*

Hello from Midland Park, New Jersey. I just wanted to say that I'm 10 and just got my first issue this morning and I think it's just GREAT! The best cartoons since CRACKED and MAD. Most every article is sensational except for a few things that are just great. I mostly like the special features . . . especially the iron-ons. Well, gotta go now, see ya later!

Chris Murphy
Midland Park, New Jersey

PS. I'll ALWAYS get your mag, starting tomorrow.

*—We're very into ALWAYS around here . . . .*

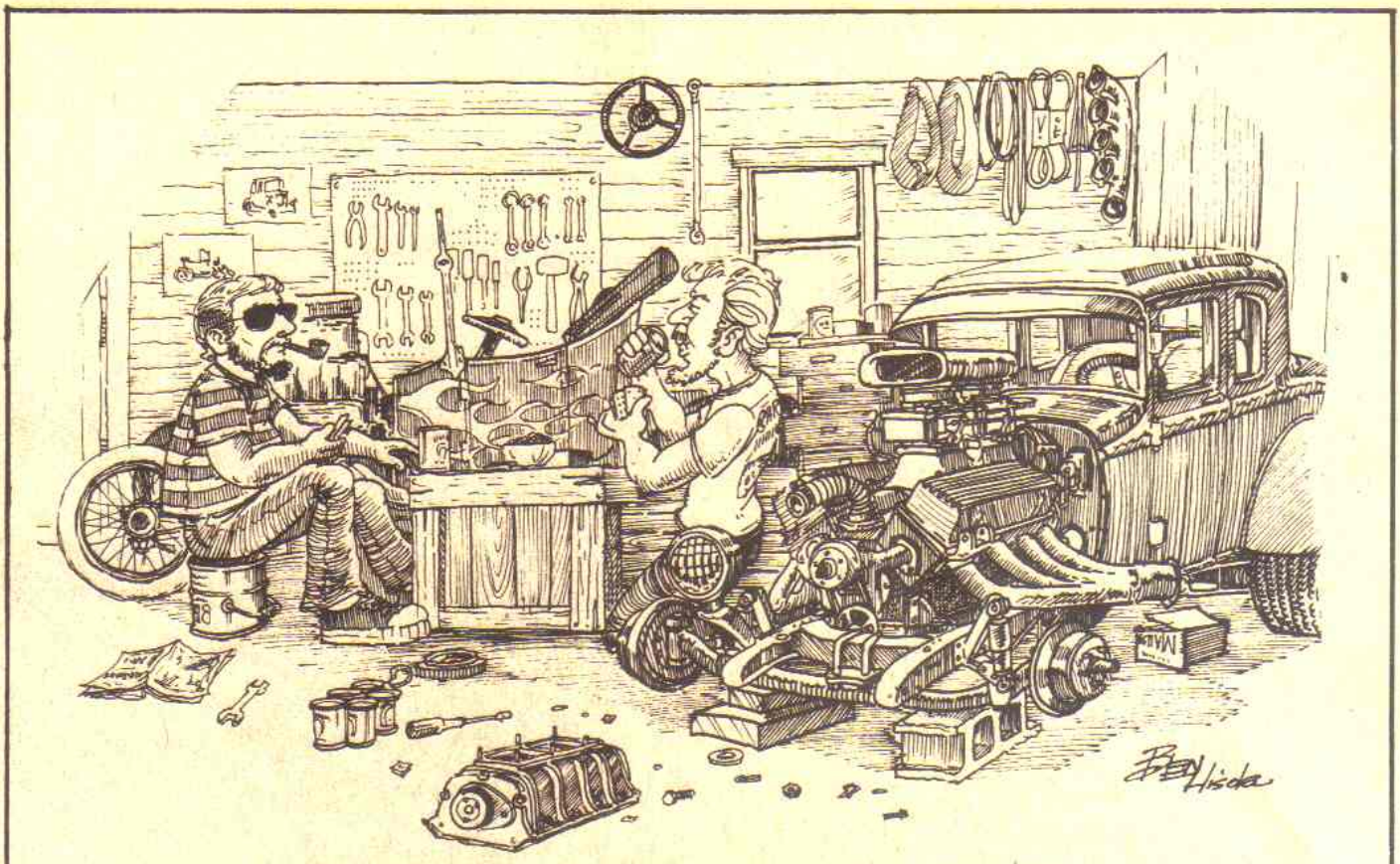
Hi! I really dig your mag, but the price is a little high. I've been reading your mag for about 1½ years. Krass & Bernie are great. Same with those iron-ons. You should put in more vans, Triumph Spitfires and Porsches. My brother thinks you should put in more motorbikes and more iron-ons with vans and bikes. Keep up the good work. Please put this letter in the mag.

Greg Skinner
Braeside, Ontario
Canada

*—Hi, yourself. Can't give ya the iron-ons and goodies for nothin'. Unfortunate rule of business, y'know, Greg. Thanks for lettin' us know what's on your mind.*

ATTENTION . . . ATTENTION . . . CARtoons Magazine: This is the third time I've written to you . . . I can't find an Art School which features learning how to draw funny . . . could you give me some information? In the Detroit area do ya know, do ya know?

Philip Carroll
Detroit, Michigan



**"Man, this is the weirdest game of strip poker I've ever played."**

*—You don't really mean you want to draw funny, do you?*

I think you've got the best mag on the market, and some of the funniest CARtoons I have ever read! I realize that you have requests comin' out of your ears from people that want you to put more of *their* particular year and make and model car in the mag- . . . but just once I would like to see a little bit of Mopar in there. Thanks for listening to my request, too, Irving, and with a mag like yours, you ain't never gonna be out of business!

Dale Cramer
Bloomfield Hills, Michigan

*—All ears, man.*

Hi. I think your magazine is Great. Y'all are doing a Super, Fantastic, Cool, Neat, Freaky, Crazy and sometimes Weird Job. Keep up the Great Work!

From: A person who knows how to use the right words
The Lone Star State

*—Is your name Webster or Roget?*

I have to tell you how much I like your mag, but you should put some rigs in it. In the May '79 issue a Jimmy Paige wrote in well, Jimmy, I personally think and in fact *know* that Ford is the pits. Canada might be Ford country but the United States is Chevy country.

Kyle Warner
Freeport, Illinois

*—(Editor's note only to Kyle: Where do you think all those Fords get made?)*

I really dig your mag. It's real cool. I especially like Krass and Bernie and Road Runners. I also like Side Show. I'd hate to embarrass Nelson Dewey, but ask him if he likes "beautiful girls in teeny weeny bikinis-". . . . Would you put in some Kawasaki KZ 1000's, please? I really dig them. Also, my dad has one. My brother bought our first CARtoons . . . he's 14. I'm only 9 but I got hold of it, too.

Rachele Stagner
Bloomington, Illinois

*—We'll Dewey our best to put the question out for ya.*

Will you please send me a letter telling me if you will put my picture in your book? Please tell me what Addition it will be in.

Love,
Troy

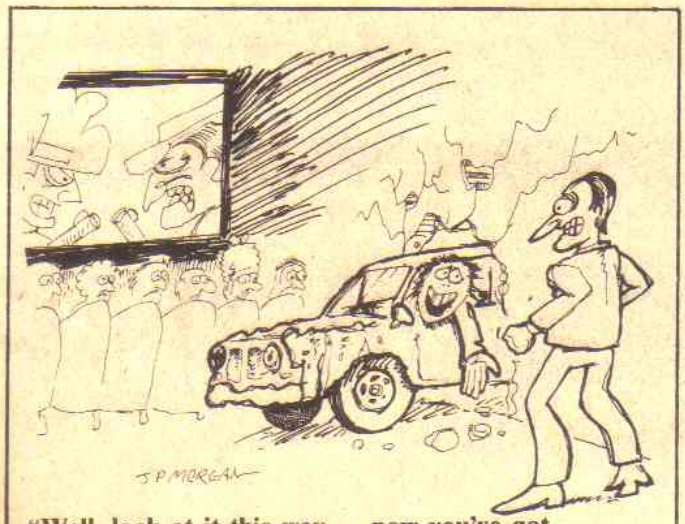
*—Divide and Multiply, that's our motto. LIGHT LEAD PENCIL DRAWINGS DO NOT PRINT, folks. Sorry, Troy.*

I think your mag is great. I try to read it EVERY time it comes out. Side Show and KRASS and BERNIE are my favorites. I would like to know if George Trosley would mind drawing me a Chevelle . . . I like the way he draws. I'm thinking of becoming a cartoonist. I love to draw! Stay Cool all ARTISTS AND WRITERS!

Glen Haas, Chevelle Lover

*—Will send a passenger pigeon to ask George. Stick around . . . .*

I really like your mag. It's GREAT! I'm only 14 but I can remember back when CARtoons wasn't around. Yup, I really liked them old issues with Unk 'n' them Varmints. Oh yeah, I just sent a cartoon in to Reader's Gallery. I really don't care much about the money, I just would like to have my cartoon in the mag. I know the drawing ain't THAT good, but . . . Just one more thing. I wonder if you could tell me how much CARtoons No. 1 is worth and if I could buy one. Print this letter—PLEASE!




**"Well, look at it this way . . . now you've got yourself a drive-in theatre."**

Nat Reed
Flint, Michigan

*—No number one's available from Back Issues, sorry, Nat. As to value . . . we really couldn't say. We don't consider ourselves a commodity—more an abstract quality defined as a changing quantity . . . .?*

Hi, my name is Ira. I think your magazines are very good and I think Krass and Bernie are Funny. Could you send me a couple of sketches of Camaros and Pintos at an angle where you could see everything—but just the body? Thank you.

Ira Sellman
Annapolis, Maryland

*—I don't think we're seeing things on the same plane . . . what angle did you have in mind?*

I agree with Victor Bomba who says you should have a TRUCKERtoons. I'm not against trucks in CARtoons, but it would be nice to have a TURCKERtoons. Also, how 'bout more K & B?

Danny Scnautz
Pasadena, Texas

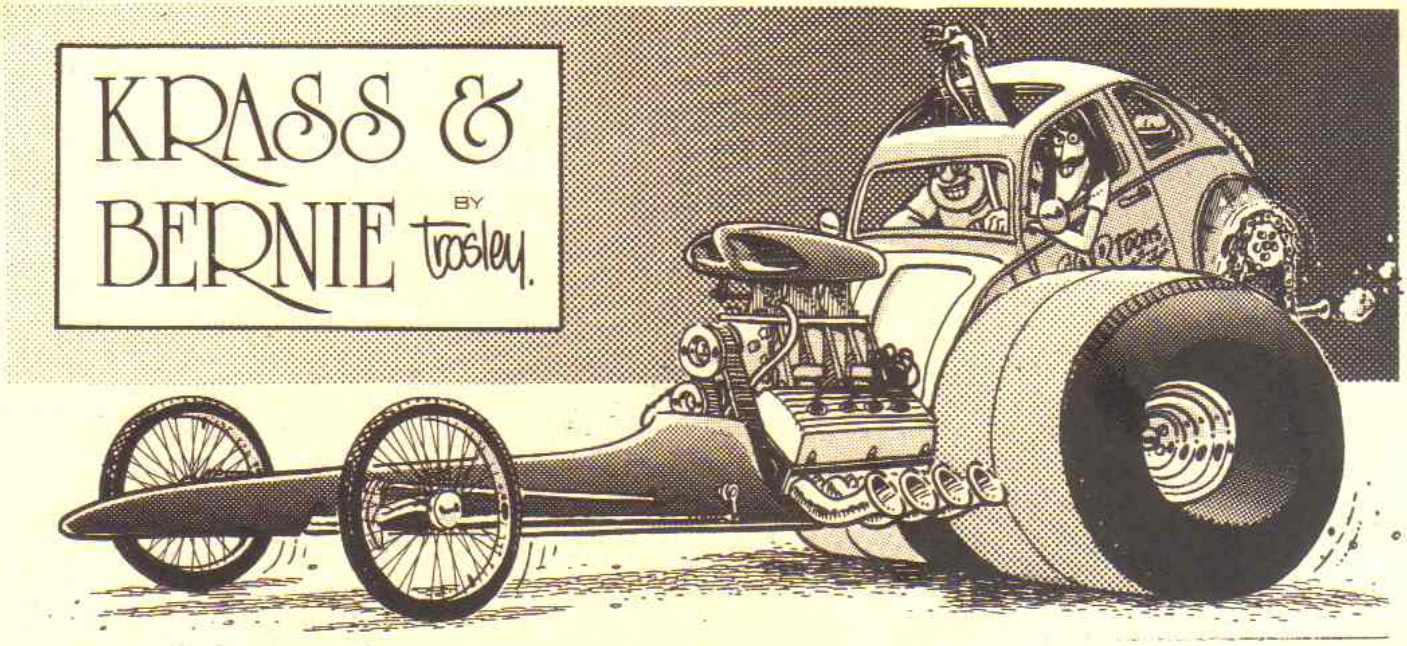
*—Comin' right up the line.*

I really think your mag is super-cool. I really dig on Krass and Bernie. Your Side Show is really cool, but how about some more Trans Ams. Keep going with the "How to Draw" feature. I am just learning how to draw cars. Do you know where I can send for information on how to fix up a Volkswagen Bug? If so, please tell me.

Mike Lettie
Farmington, New Mexico

*—Try a local library (automotive section), a local high school or college which might offer a mechanic or car shop class, or contact your nearest VW representative or dealer. Any of these should be able to help get you fix-up info.*

'TIL LATER!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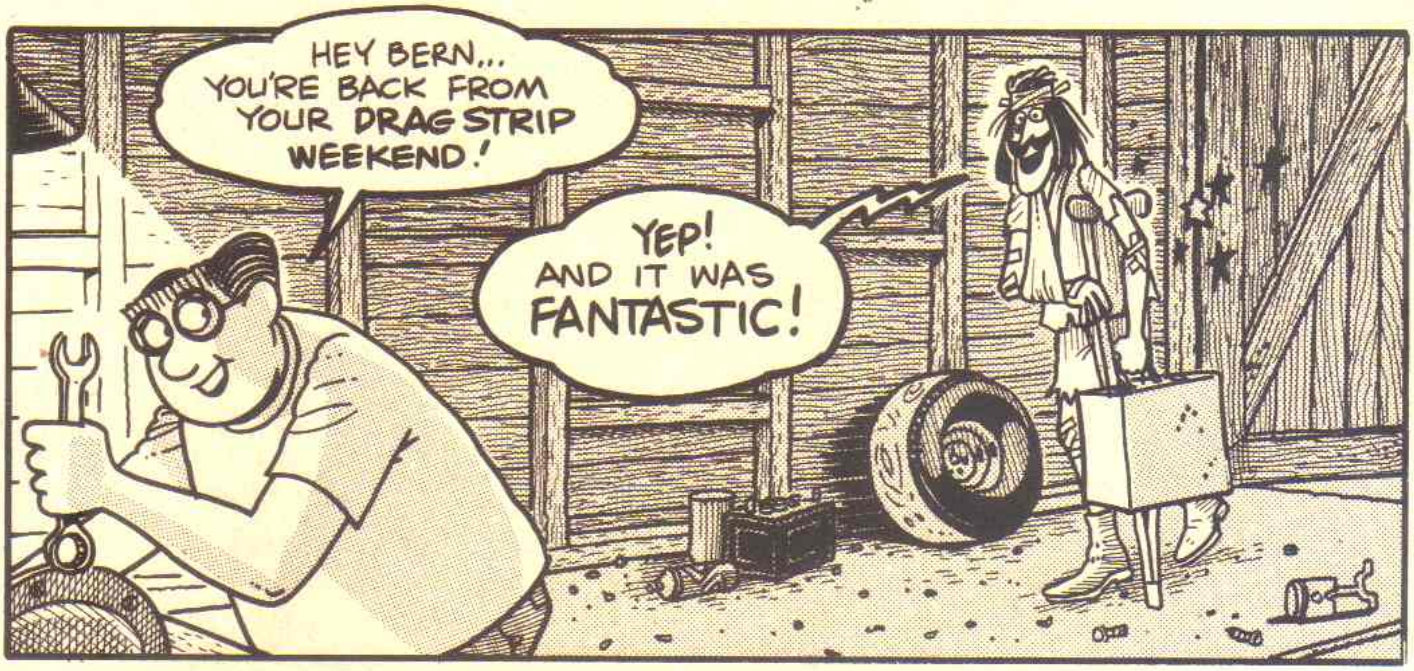
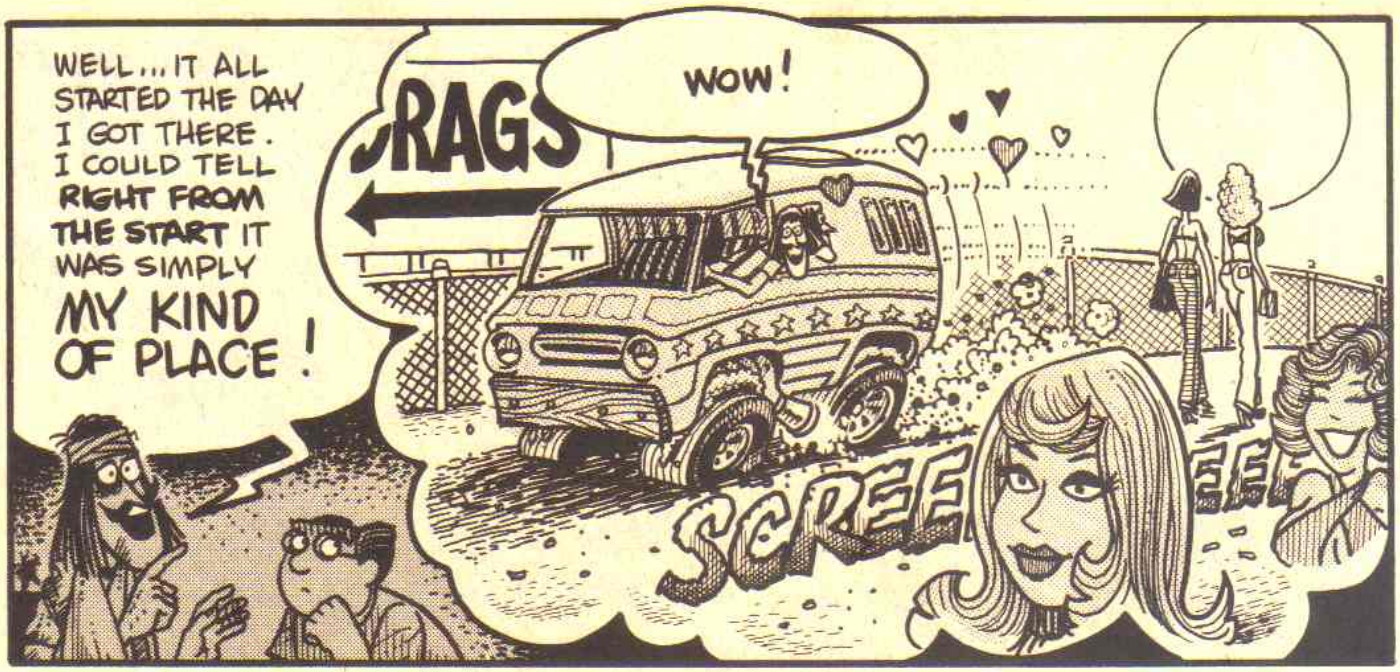
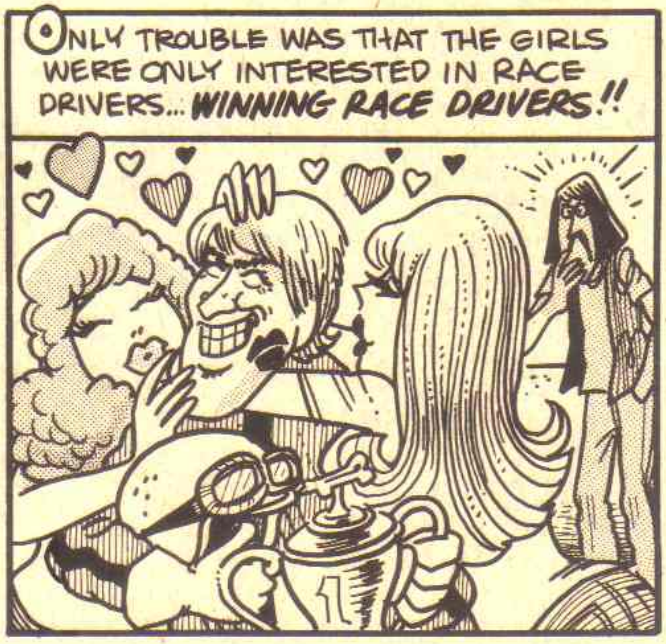
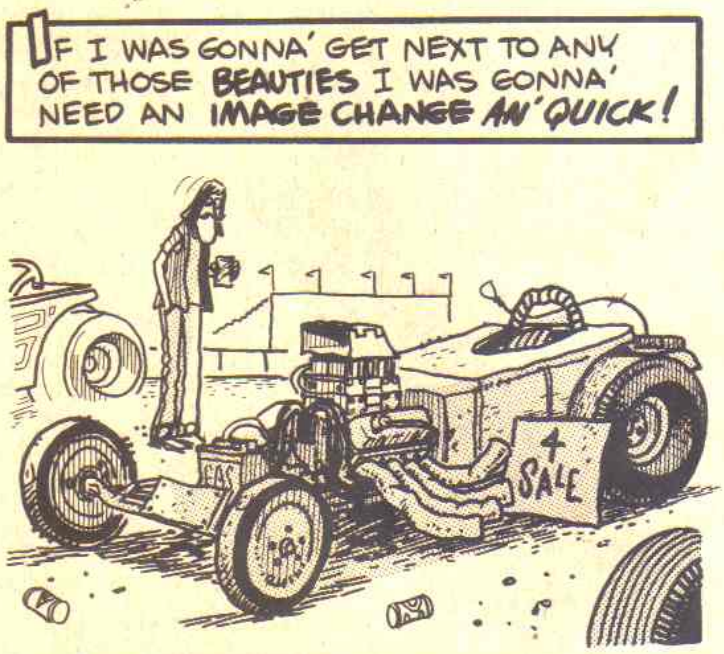

HEY BERN... YOU'RE BACK FROM YOUR DRAG STRIP WEEKEND!
YEP! AND IT WAS FANTASTIC!

HEY! WHAT HAPPENED TO YOU?!? YOU'RE ALL BUSTED UP!
IT'S A LONG LONG STORY, KRASS...

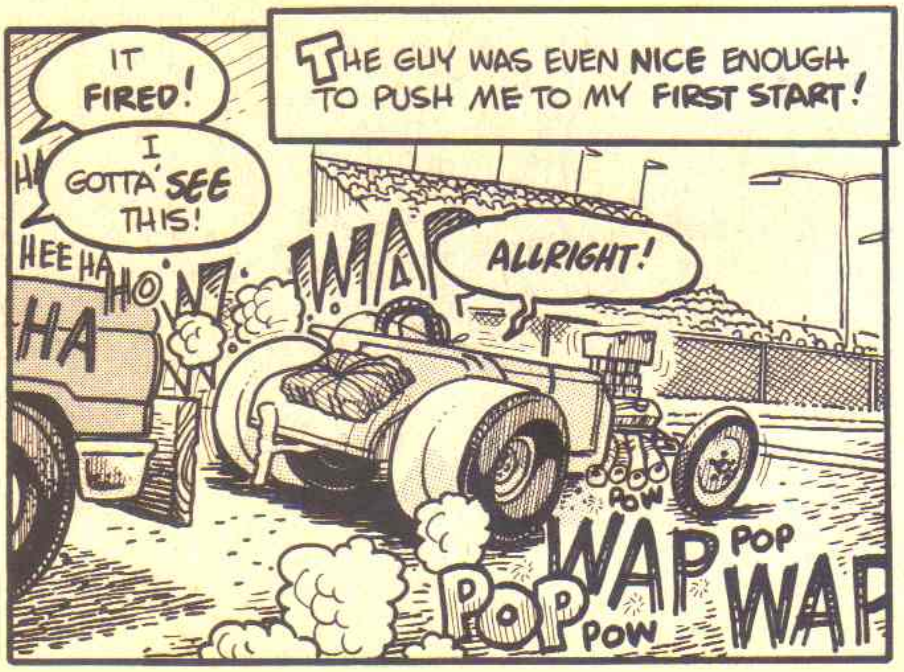
...BUT IT'S A GOOD ONE!
SO TELL ME! TELL ME!!


WELL... IT ALL STARTED THE DAY I GOT THERE. I COULD TELL RIGHT FROM THE START IT WAS SIMPLY MY KIND OF PLACE!
RAGS
WOW!
SCREE

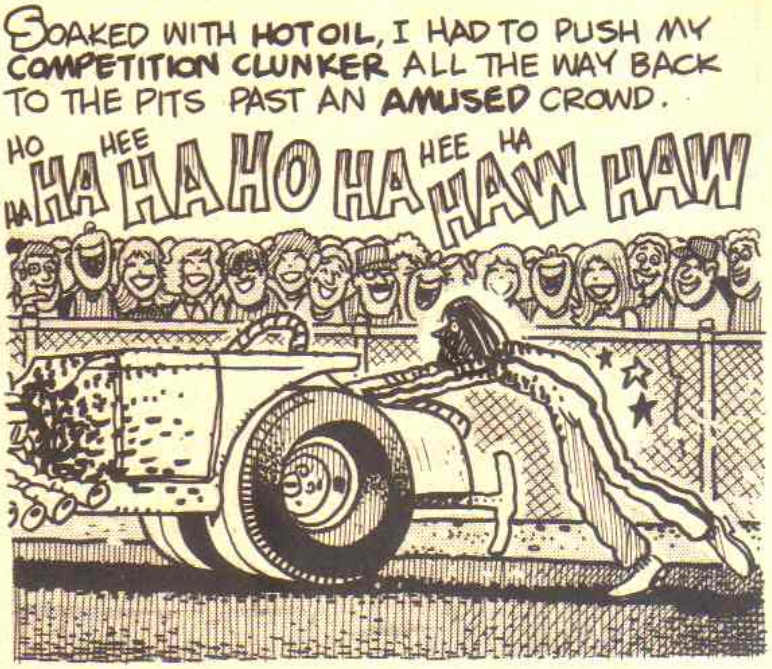

ONLY TROUBLE WAS THAT THE GIRLS WERE ONLY INTERESTED IN RACE DRIVERS... WINNING RACE DRIVERS!!

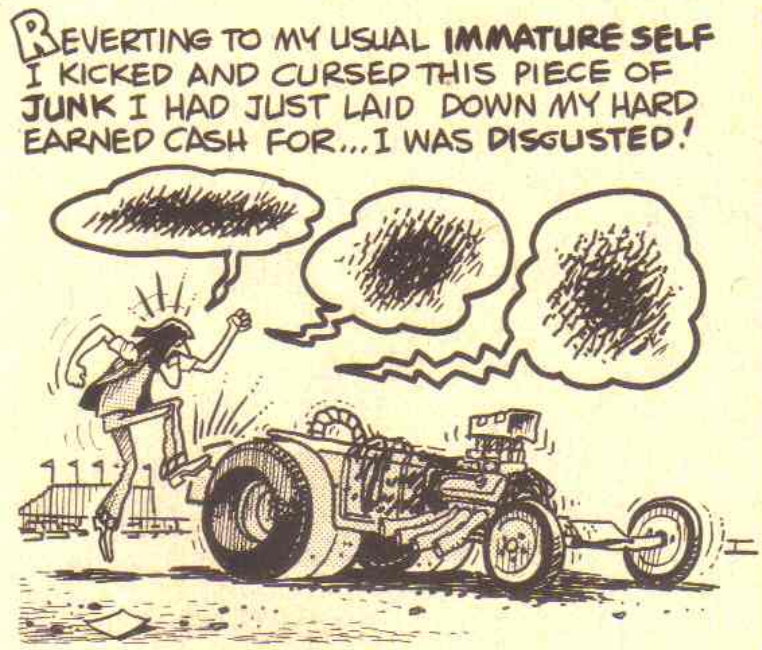

IF I WAS GONNA' GET NEXT TO ANY OF THOSE BEAUTIES I WAS GONNA' NEED AN IMAGE CHANGE AN' QUICK!
SALE

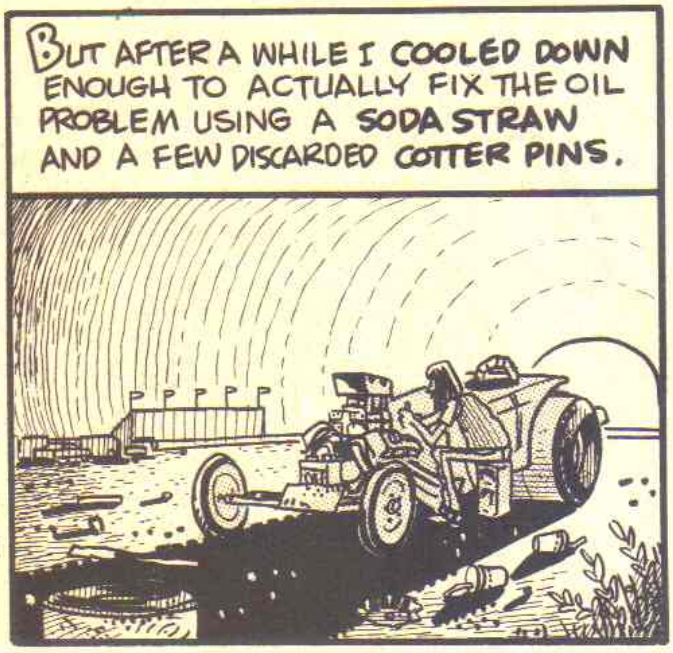
SO I PUT MOST OF MY CASH DOWN ON AN AGEING SUPER PRO ROADSTER. IT WAS A REAL BARGAIN!
OKAY... IF YOU'RE SURE IT'S A TROPHY WINNER!
HEE HA HA HAW HEE HEE
WHAT ELSE?

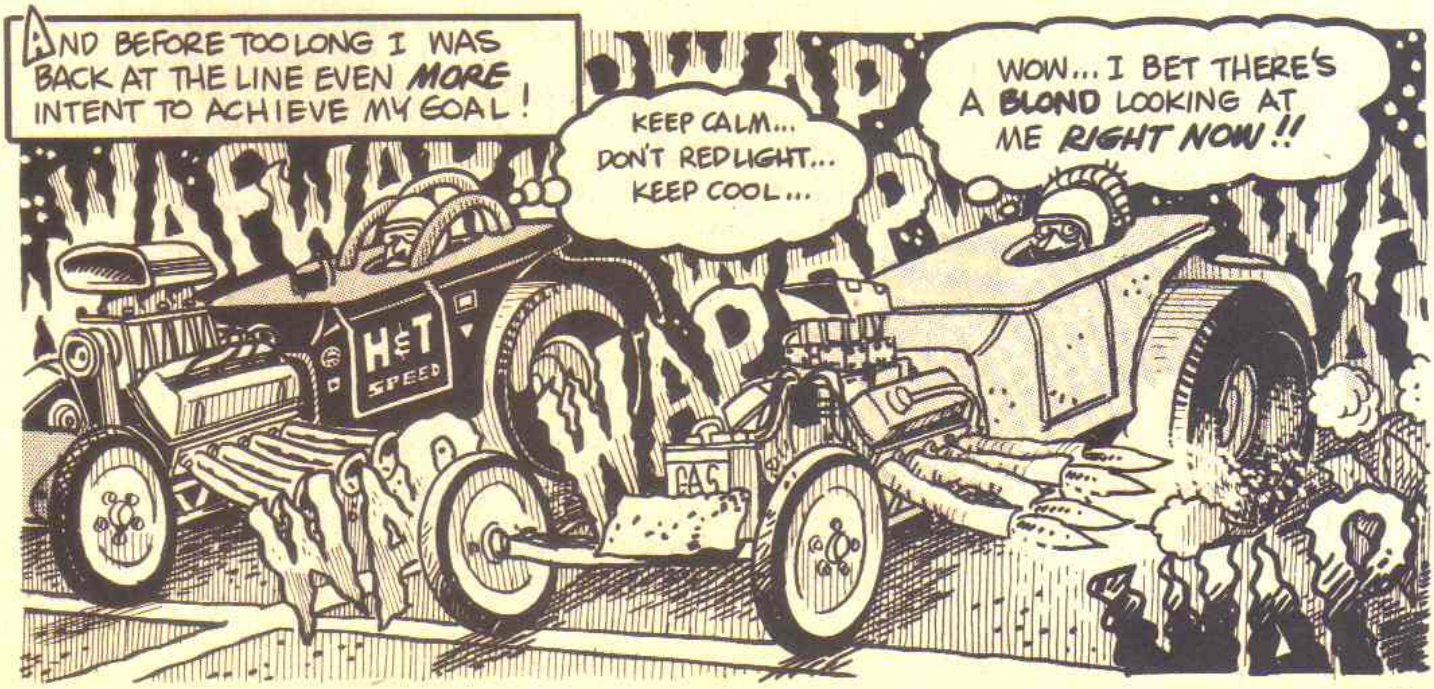

THE GUY WAS EVEN NICE ENOUGH TO PUSH ME TO MY FIRST START!
IT FIRED!
I GOTTA' SEE THIS!
HEE HA HA
HA
WAP
ALLRIGHT!
POW
POP
WAP
POP
POW
WAP

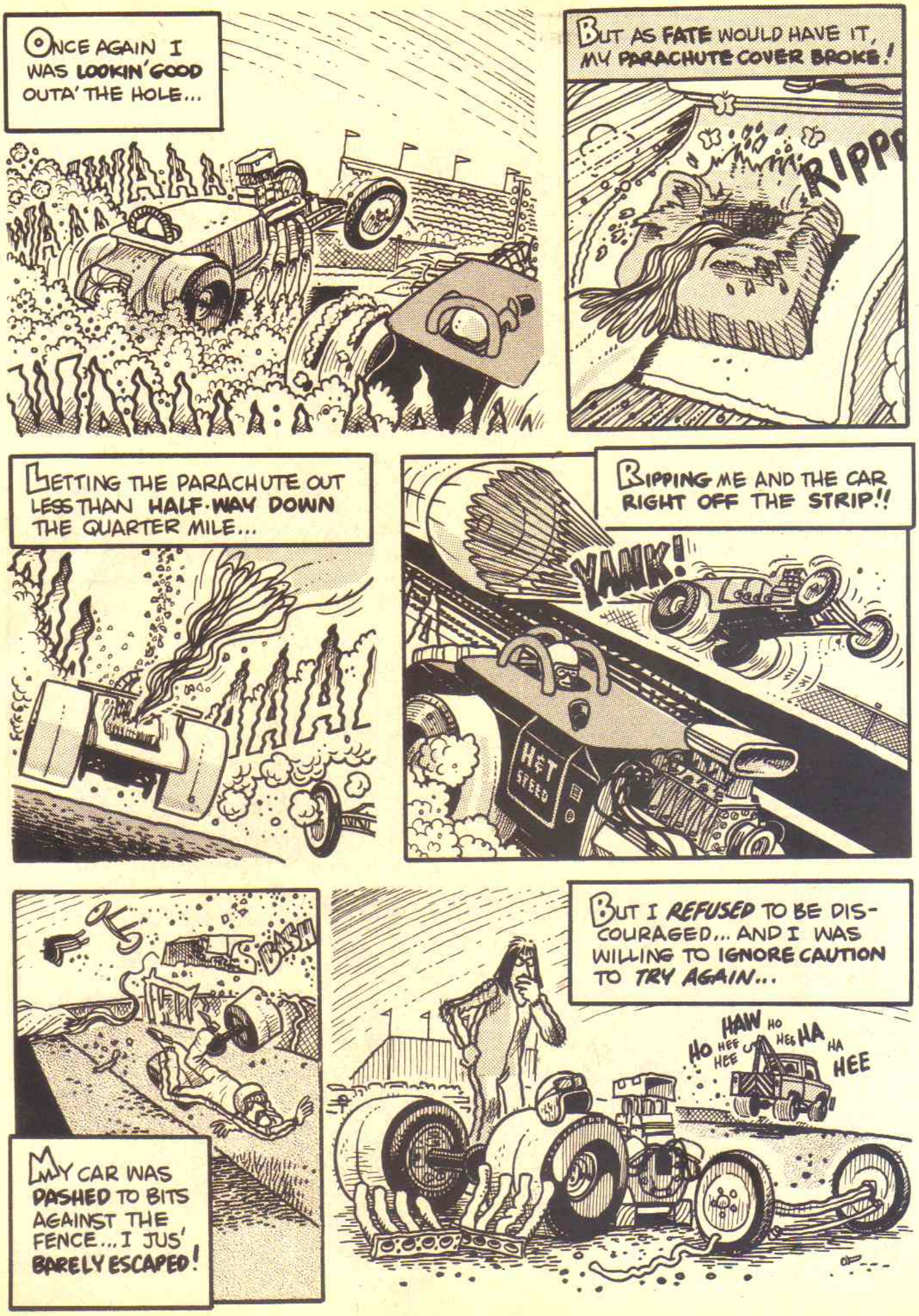
I HAD 'EM OFFA' THE LINE TOO UNTIL AN OIL LINE BLEW... SPEWING OIL EVERYWHERE!
POW!
WAAAAAA
WAAAAAA

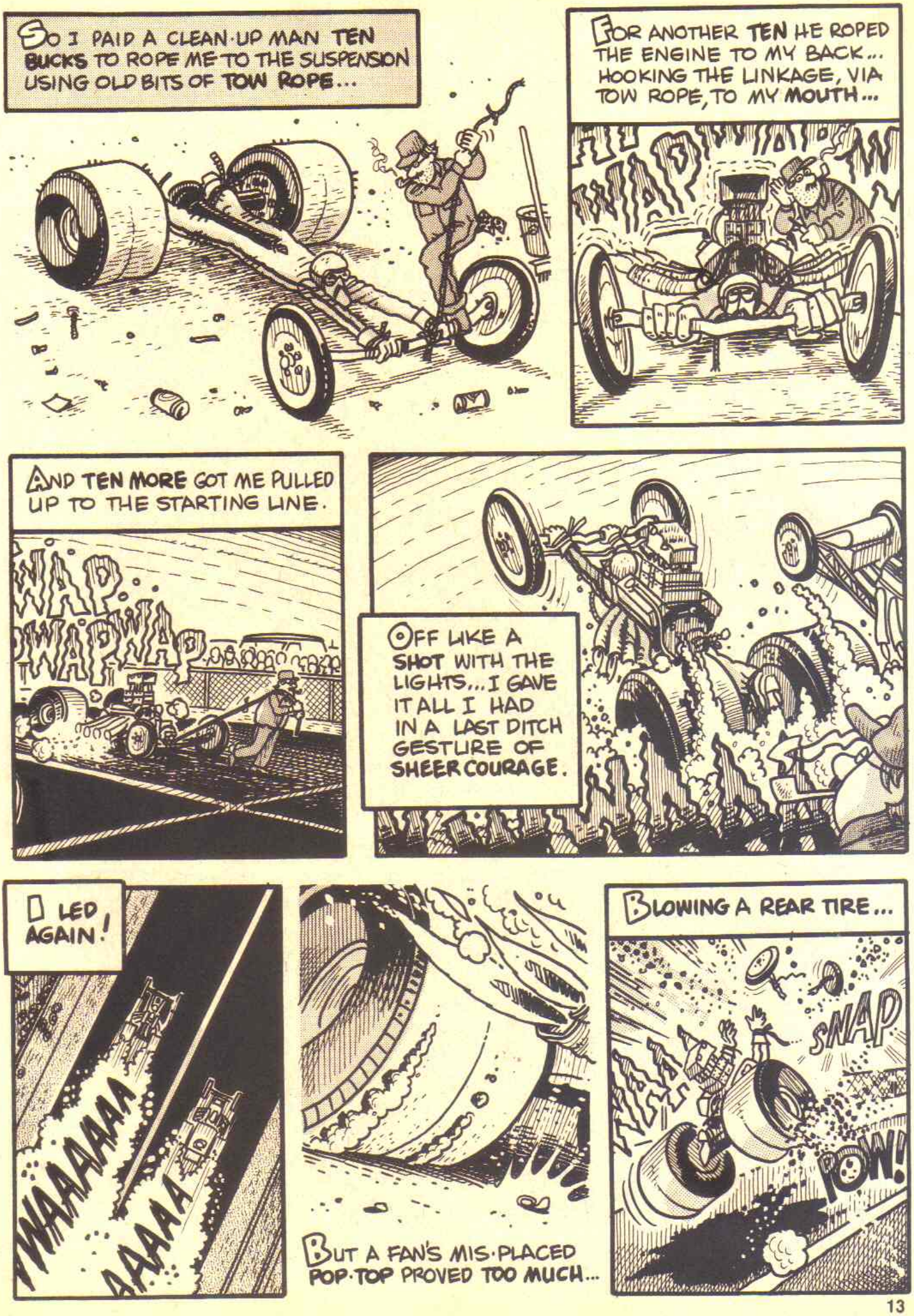

SOAKED WITH HOT OIL, I HAD TO PUSH MY COMPETITION CLUNKER ALL THE WAY BACK TO THE PITS PAST AN AMUSED CROWD.
HO HA HEE HA HO HA HEE HA HAW HAW


REVERTING TO MY USUAL IMMATURE SELF I KICKED AND CURSED THIS PIECE OF JUNK I HAD JUST LAID DOWN MY HARD EARNED CASH FOR... I WAS DISGUSTED!


BUT AFTER A WHILE I COOLED DOWN ENOUGH TO ACTUALLY FIX THE OIL PROBLEM USING A SODA STRAW AND A FEW DISCARDED COTTER PINS.

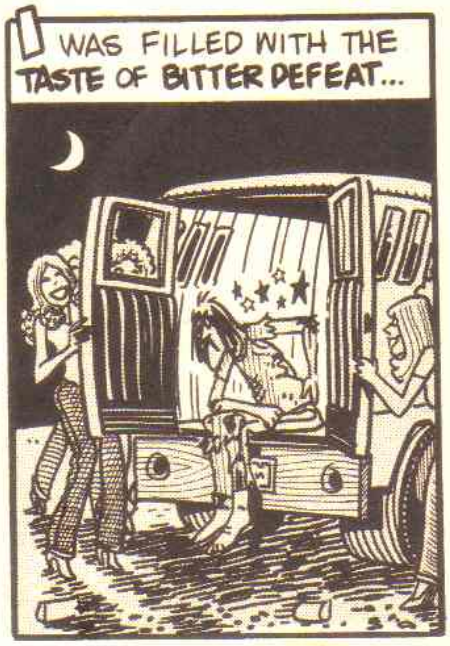

AND BEFORE TOO LONG I WAS BACK AT THE LINE EVEN MORE INTENT TO ACHIEVE MY GOAL!
KEEP CALM... DON'T RED LIGHT... KEEP COOL...
WOW... I BET THERE'S A BLOND LOOKING AT ME RIGHT NOW!!
WHAP
H&T SPEED
GAS


ONCE AGAIN I WAS LOOKIN' GOOD OUTA' THE HOLE...
BUT AS FATE WOULD HAVE IT, MY PARACHUTE COVER BROKE!
RIPPP
GETTING THE PARACHUTE OUT LESS THAN HALF-WAY DOWN THE QUARTER MILE...
RIPPING ME AND THE CAR RIGHT OFF THE STRIP!!
YAWK!
HOT SPEED
CRASH
MY CAR WAS DASHED TO BITS AGAINST THE FENCE... I JUS' BARELY ESCAPED!
BUT I REFUSED TO BE DISCOURAGED... AND I WAS WILLING TO IGNORE CAUTION TO TRY AGAIN...
HAW HO HEE HEE HO HEE HA HA HEE


SO I PAID A CLEAN-UP MAN TEN BUCKS TO ROPE ME TO THE SUSPENSION USING OLD BITS OF TOW ROPE...
FOR ANOTHER TEN HE ROPED THE ENGINE TO MY BACK... HOOKING THE LINKAGE, VIA TOW ROPE, TO MY MOUTH...
WAP
AND TEN MORE GOT ME PULLED UP TO THE STARTING LINE.
WAP
WAPWAP
OFF LIKE A SHOT WITH THE LIGHTS... I GAVE IT ALL I HAD IN A LAST DITCH GESTURE OF SHEER COURAGE.
I LED AGAIN!
WAAAAAA
AAAAA
BUT A FAN'S MIS-PLACED POP-TOP PROVED TOO MUCH...
BLOWING A REAR TIRE...
SNAP
POW!

AND SENDING ME END OVER END...
BOING!

INTO A PILE OF RUBBLE!
TEN DOLLAR "UNRAVELING THE CORPSE" FEE, SIR...


I WAS FILLED WITH THE TASTE OF BITTER DEFEAT...

BUT MY DO OR DIE SPIRIT IMPRESSED THE DRAG STRIP GROUPIES AND A FEW OF THEM BANDAGED ME AND EVEN FED AND SOOTHED ME! WOW!!!

AHHHH... HE PROBABLY SLIPPED ON A ROOT BEER CAN AS HE WALKED IN THE GATE...
THEY MADE IT MY MOST MEMORABLE WEEKEND EVER!
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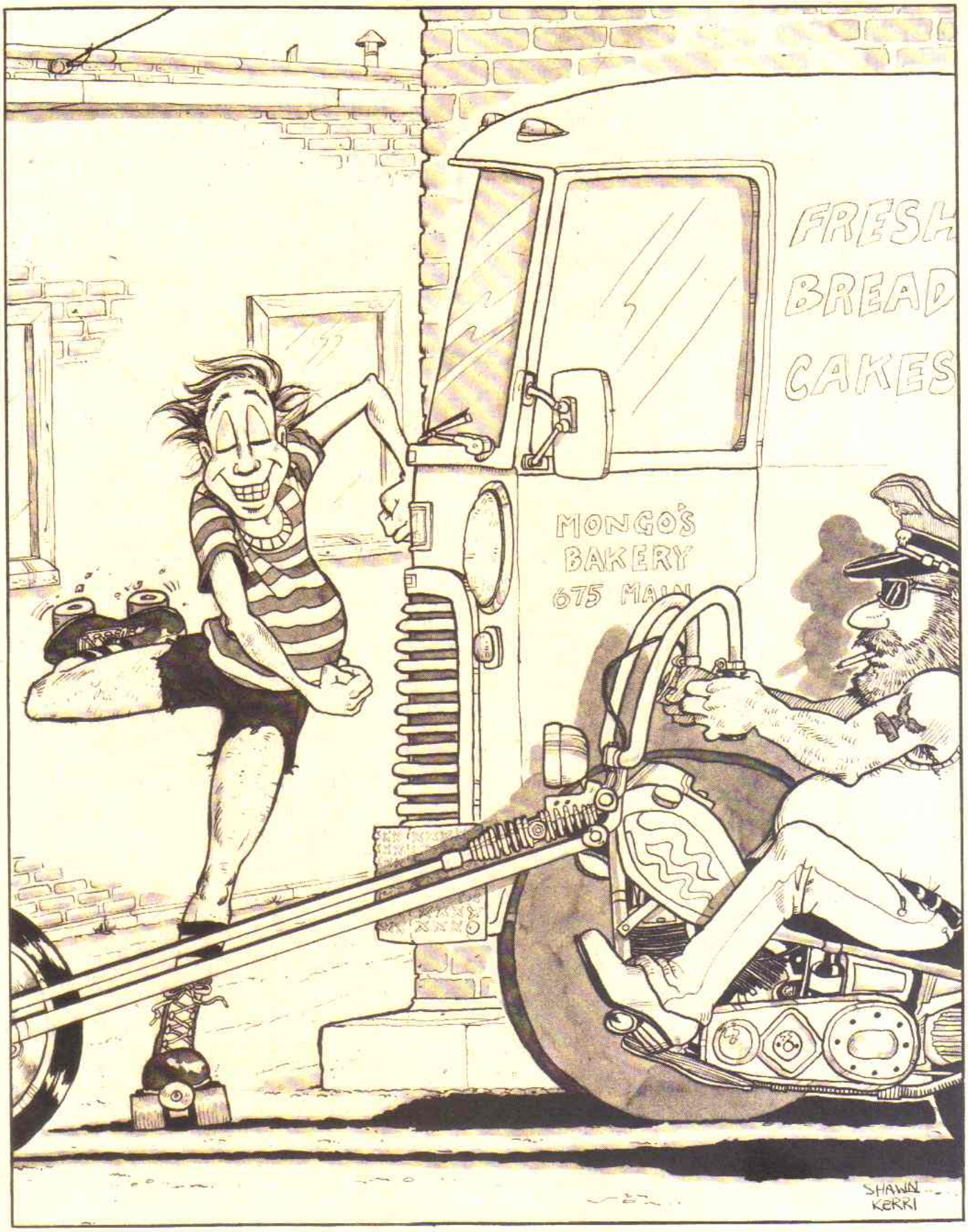
**And we don't have to tell you what happened next By Shawn Kerri**




**Can you think up a good idea for this feature? If you think you can, we'd like to see it. We will pay a big $10.00 for your idea if used. Send yours to: We don't have to tell you/CARtoons 8490 Sunset Blvd., Los Angeles, CA 90069**

SUCKER BET!
OPEN
FOOD
ICE CREAM
HEY... NICE PORSCHE!
LIKE IT, HUH?
7UP

IT'S A TURBO... ZERO TO 60 IN 5 SECONDS... DOES THE QUARTER IN 13·5...
ISN'T A CAR ON TH' ROAD CAN BEAT IT!
BETCHA MINE COULD!

HUH?! YOU MEAN THAT VEE BUG?! HA HA HAW HEE HEE!
GO ON AN' LAUGH! A HUNDRED BUCKS SAYS I CAN BEAT YOU TO THE INTERSECTION TWO MILES DOWN THE ROAD!

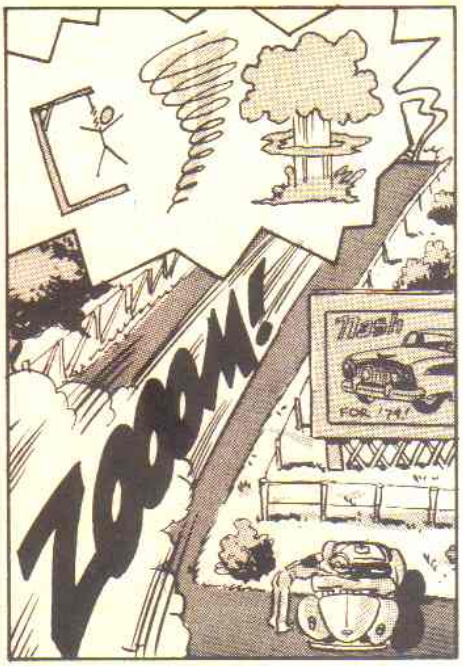
A HUNDRED BUCKS?! THIS CHICK'S GOTTA HAVE SOME ANGLE!
I'M NOT WALKIN' INTO ANY SUCKER BET! FIRST LEMME SEE YOUR MILL!
BE MY GUEST!

THIS THING'S AS STOCK AS THEY COME!
SHE'D HAVE TO BE NUTS TO WANNA DO IT WITH A TURBO!

SO WHO AM I NOT TO HUMOR HER?
OKAY, YOU'RE ON!

AND SO...
VROOM
PUTT PUTT PUTT

VRAOW!
EASIEST HUNDRED BUCKS I EVER MADE!
SHE SHOULD CATCH UP BY SUNDOWN.
SCREECH!
CHUGA-CHUGA
I DUNNO WHAT HER TRIP WAS, BUT IF SHE WANTS TO HAND OUT FREE MONEY, I... HUH?!
BEEP!
YA SHOULDN'T STOP SHORT O' THE FINISH LINE LIKE THAT...
'SPECIALLY WHEN I WAS AHEAD O' YOU ALL THE TIME!
PUT PUT PUT
A HUNDRED BUCKS, PLEASE.
!! B-BUT YOU CAN'T... THAT IS, I ... Y-YOU... B'DEAH B'DEAH...
WANNA SEE MY MILL AGAIN?
I DUNNO WHAT YOU PULLED, BUT IT AIN'T HAPPENIN' AGAIN! TO TH' NEXT INTER-SECTION... DOUBLE OR NOTHIN'!
YAWN! IF YOU INSIST.
VRAOW!
I GOT HER THIS TIME! THERE'S NO WAY COULDA SNEAKED—
PUT PUT PU
PAY UP, BUSTER!


ZOOOM!
Mash
FOR '74!

OKAY, SISTERS... THE SUCKER'S GONE!
PUT PUT PUT
PUT PUT PUT

PUT PUT PUT
PUT PUT PUT

CONGRATULATIONS, SIS!
ANOTHER SUCESSFUL OPERATION!

Y'KNOW, SIS, ONE O' THESE DAYS, ONE O' THOSE TURKEYS WON'T LOOK BACK—AN' HE'LL CATCH US SNEAKIN' OFF THE SIDE ROAD AHEAD OF HIM!
NO SWEAT, SIS! BY THE TIME *THAT* HAPPENS, WE'LL HAVE ENOUGH BREAD TO TURN OUR BUGS INTO *DOON BUGGIES!*
C'MON, SISTERS, LET'S TAKE OUR PLACES! WE STILL HAVE TIME FOR ONE MORE RUN BEFORE LUNCH!
DON HARRIS 79

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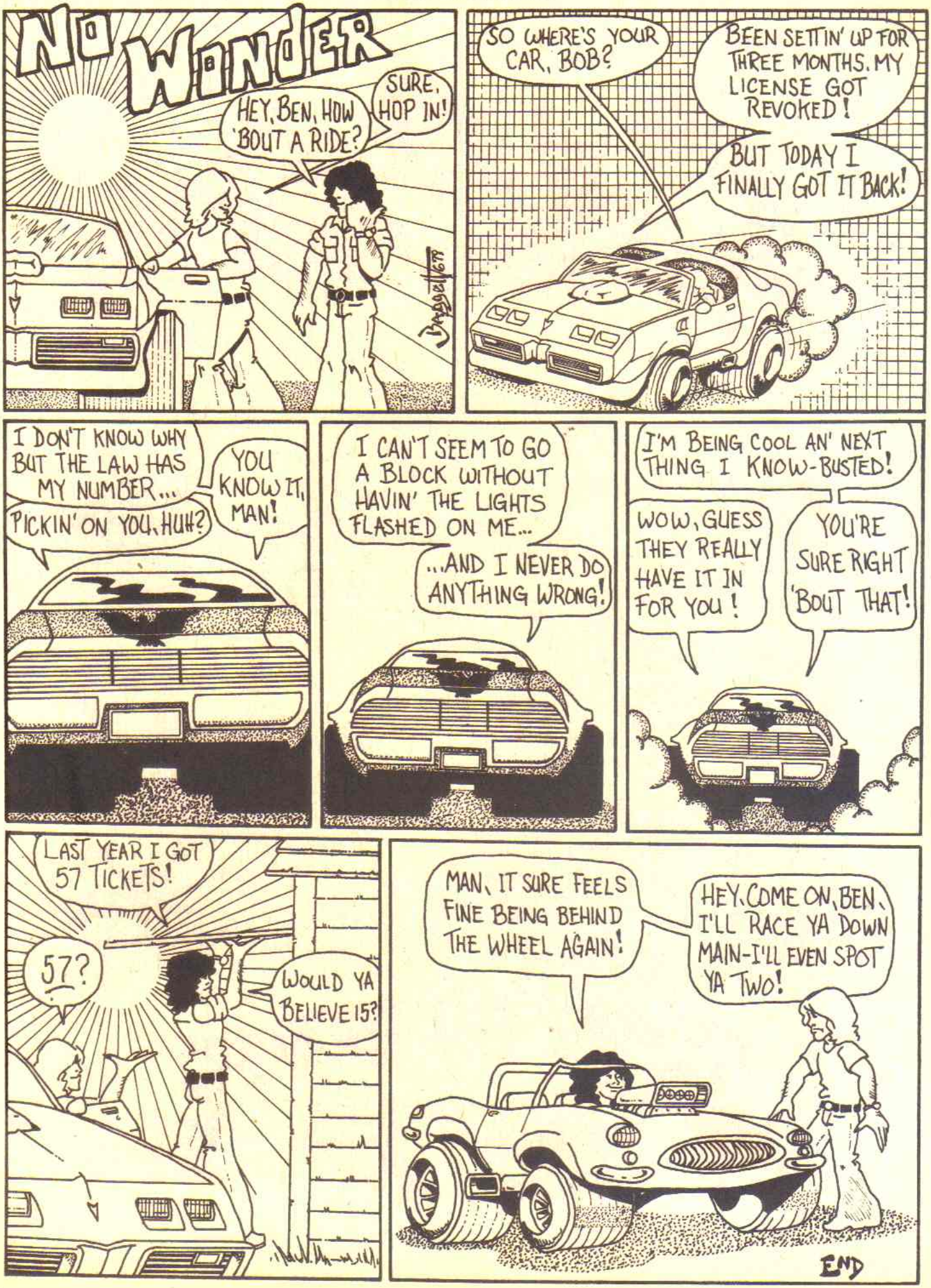
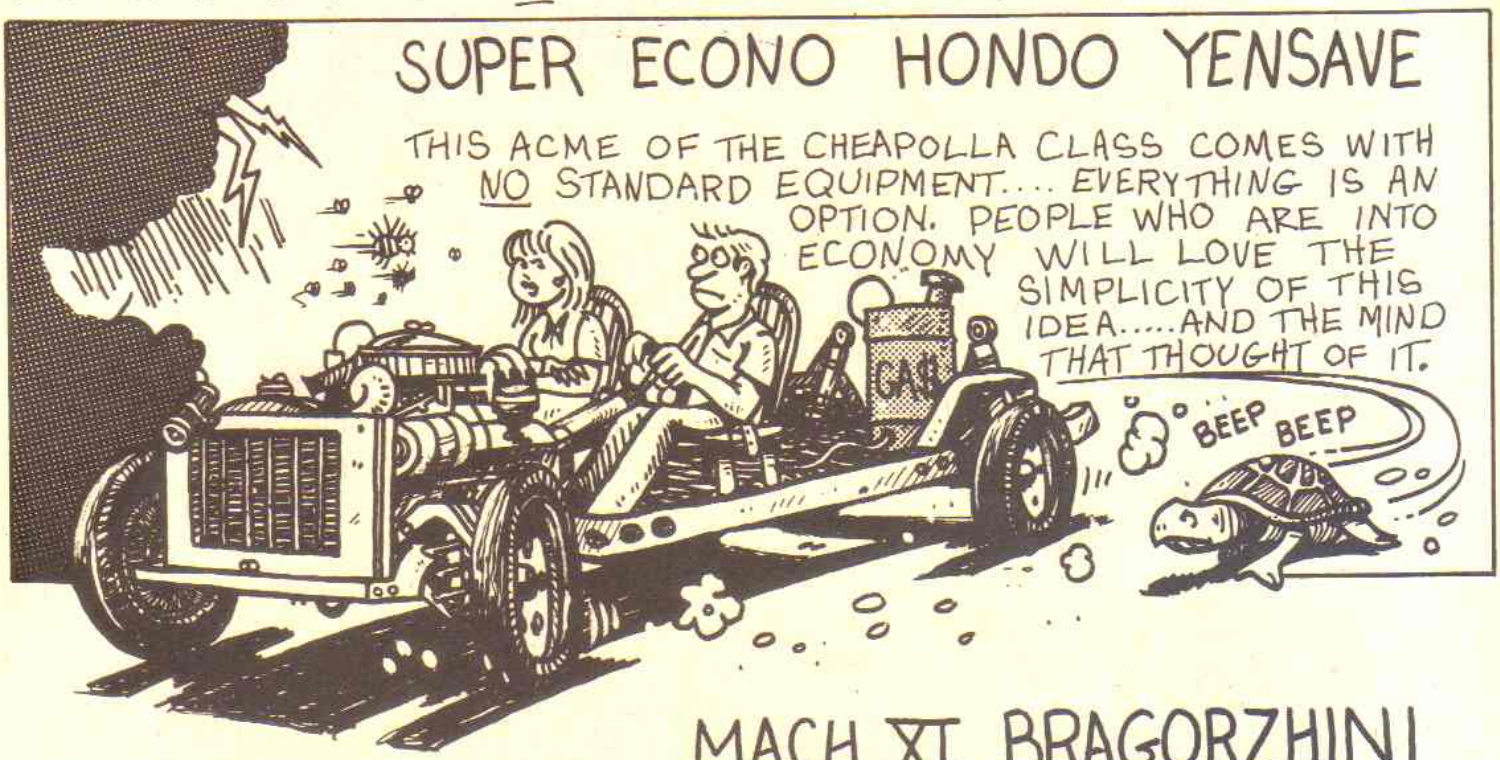
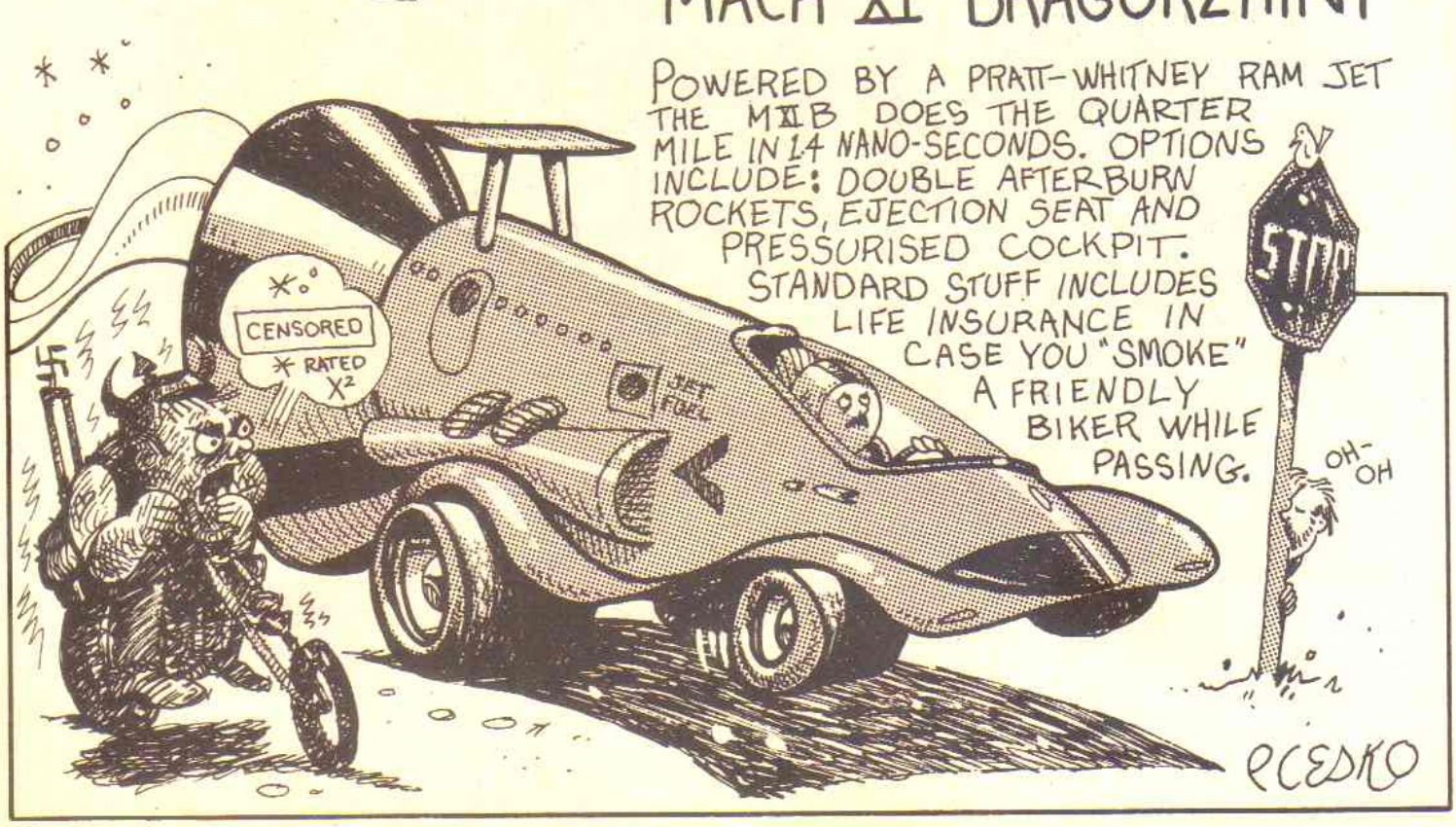


# ULTIMATE AUTO

CAR MANUFACTURERS TODAY ARE TRYING MORE AND MORE TO CATER TO THE INDIVIDUAL TASTES OF THEIR CUSTOMERS. THEY'VE MADE LITTLE CARS, FAT CARS, CARS WITH FINS AND CARS WITH THREE WHEELS. SO, WHERE WILL IT ALL END? WELL I HOPE IT ENDS LONG BEFORE WE SEE THE.....



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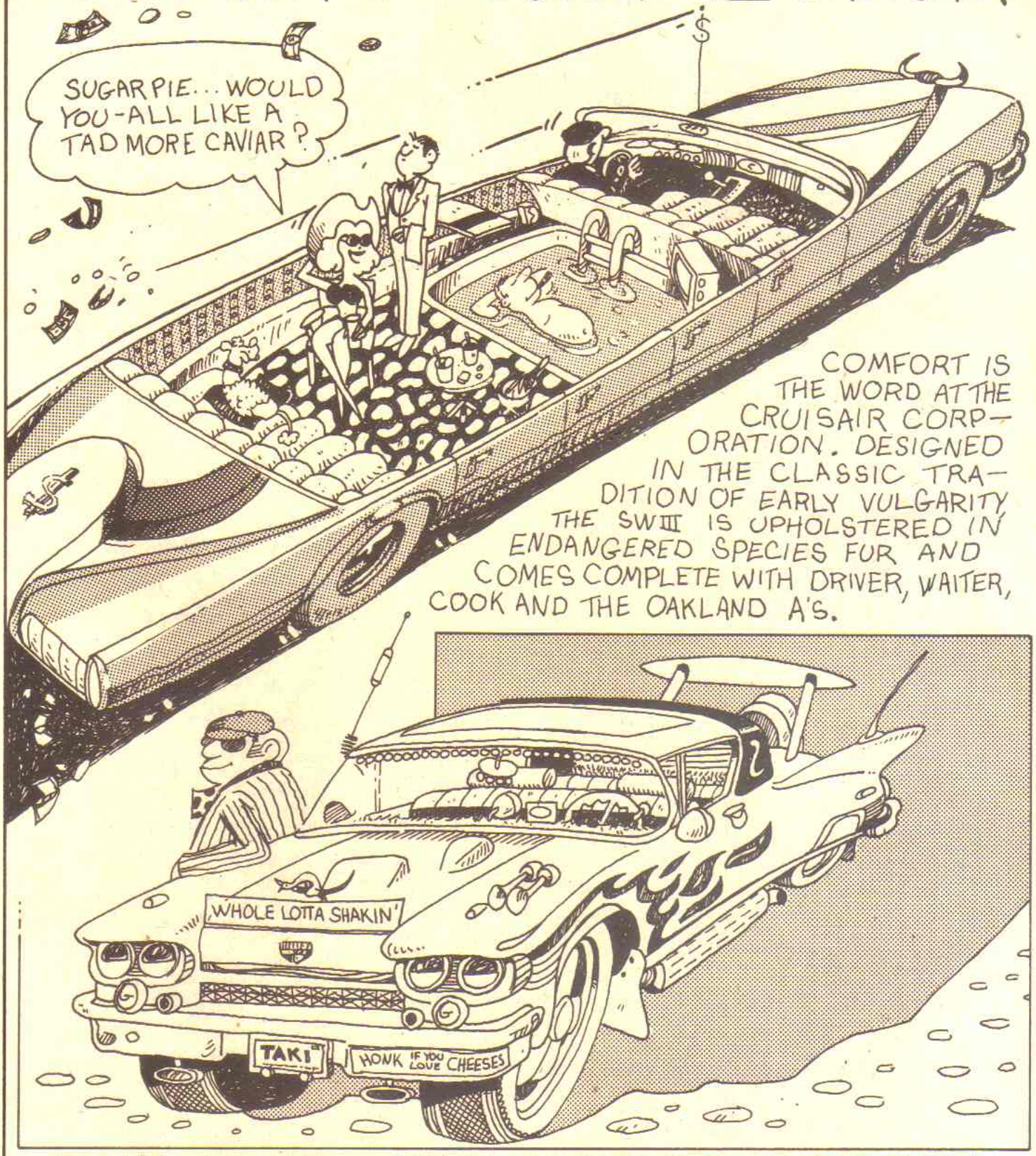


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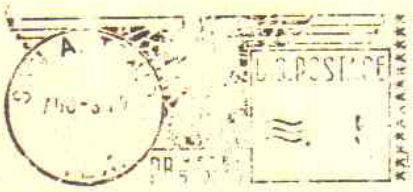

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**Your Name! Your Address! Your Age! Who you want to Pen To! Your Favorite Set of Wheels! What you Dig! Send it to: Corresponding Erica, 8490 Sunset Blvd., Los Angeles, 90069 . . .**
**AND DON'T WRITE US, WRITE THEM.**

Richard M. Sanborn (19)
11430 Georgetown Drive
Potomac, Maryland 20854

Digs: Only Mopar machines, Harley Davidsons, Rock 'n' Roll, Loving Ladies
Lookin' For: Girls 16-25

Haracio Viegas
Rua General Roca 490/505 B
Tijuca 20521
Rio de Janeiro, RJ
Brazil

Digs: Beaches, Motorcycles, Camping, Country Music, Blondies
Lookin' For: Females 17+, Males 21+

Frank Ladouceur (14½)
Benson Avenue, Apt. 4
Mississauga, Ontario
Canada L5A 2G9

Digs: Truckers, Trucks, CBers, CB's, Rock
Lookin' For: Nice Girls who want to write me (12-16), or CBers and Truckers

Erin McCanlies (12)
703 Clovis Drive
Durango, Colorado 91301

Digs: Olivia Newton-John, KISS, Skateboarding, Karate (Shotakon), Trans Ams
Lookin' For: Anyone 11-13

Michael Swarts (12)
1450-54 Melrose Avenue
Chula Vista, California 92011

Digs: Jeepin', Jeeps, Parties, CHEVYS, Motorcycles
Lookin' For: Girls 10-12

Don Grandstaff (13)
General Delivery Fort Hill
Strasburg, Virginia 22657

Digs: Trans Ams, Girls, Skateboarding, Rock 'n' Roll, 'Vettes
Lookin' For: Girls 12 to Over the Hills

James Rose (15)
Solhofdreef 68
B2630 Aartselaar Antwerp, Belgium

Digs: Old Cars, Rock Concerts, Girls
Lookin' For: Girls 14-16

Karen Friemel (10½)
Rt. 4
Hereford, Texas 79045

Digs: Swimming, Dirt Bikes, Z-28's, Sports
Lookin' For: Anybody 9+

Anne Whitehead (11)
3720 Morgan Road
Pontiac, Michigan 48055

Digs: Trans Ams, Corvettes, Firebirds, CB's, Swimmin'
Lookin' For: Gerald Archer

Allan Von Leue (11)
1252 Woodland Avenue
Lakeland, Florida 33801

Digs: 'Vettes, Vans, Trans Ams, Skateboarding, the '69 Camaro his brother owns!
Lookin' For: Girls 11-13

Sandy Garcia (13½)
P.O. Box 58
Ione, Washington 99139

Digs: Cute Athletes, Motorcycles, Gymnastics, Horses, Disco
Lookin' For: Guys 10-17

Carmon Haynes
Rt. 8, Bannister Drive
Rome, Georgia 30161

Digs: 'Vettes, Trans Ams, KISS, Foreigner, Florida
Lookin' For: Girls 12-14

Sonny Roth (13)
13224 Valley Forge
Balch Springs, Texas 75180

Digs: KISS, Aerosmith, Girls, Skateboards, Parties
Lookin' For: Everyone

Jeannette Struck (11)
1081 Bayfield Drive
Dayton, Ohio 45430

Digs: Sports, Guys, Dancing, Rock 'n' Roll, Swimming
Lookin' For: Guys 11-13

Terry Snead (15)
Denver City, Texas 79323

Digs: Girls, Rock 'n' Roll, CB-ing, Parties
Lookin' For: Gal 14-17

Brian Eberhard (15)
1129 Elizabeth
Naperville, Illinois 60540

Digs: Hard & Mellow Rock, Skiing (Water and Snow), Taking it easy
Lookin' For: Girls 13-18 with personality

Jarvis Johnson (14)
Rt. 3, Box 141-H
Rigby, Idaho 83442

Digs: Sporty Cars, Havin' fun, Movies, Soft and Modern Music, Swimming
Lookin' For: Foxy girls (American, Hawaiian, Japanese) 12-14

Gary Miller (11)
Route 3, Box 115
Merkel, Texas 79536

Digs: Rock Music, Skateboarding, Drums
Lookin' For: A Girl 10-11

Tom Roberts (14½)
4481 Quitman Street
Denver, Colorado 80212

Digs: GIRLS, Skateboarding, Fishing, CB-ing, Porsches
Lookin' For: Girls 12-15

PFC Terry Plummer (20)
64th Ordnance Company
APO New York, New York 09144

Digs: Trans Ams, Parties, Chevies (any year), Journey, Rock Music
Lookin' For: Girls 18-21 to write to

Steve Marshall (15)
8655 Gregory Lane
Des Plaines, Illinois 60016

Digs: Blondes and Redheads 15-16

Jay Townsend (12)
Rt. 1, Box 288-T
Leesville, Louisiana 71446

Digs: Science Fiction, 'Vettes, Stamp Collecting, Rock, Swimming
Lookin' For: Girls 11-13, and Enough Money to buy a Rolls Royce

Todd McFarland (12½)
3810 Linda Drive
Amarillo, Texas 79109

Digs: Motocross bikes, Waterskiing, Trans Ams, Nice Vans, Girls (of course)
Lookin' For: Girls 12-14

Lynn Riedle (17)
3908 Coach Lane
Suitland, Maryland 20023

Digs: Vans, Punk Rock, Sketching, Shakespeare, Drawing
Lookin' For: ANYONE 17 or older

Lee Chute (23)
399647048
B Btry, 1st BN 81st F.A.
APO, New York 09035

Digs: AMX—'69 model, Freedom, Traveling, People, Exploring, the Outdoors
Lookin' For: Ladies to write to

John Wilson
Star Rt., Box 36
Pleasanton, Texas 78064

Digs: Drum Playing, Fast cars, Girls, Big Rigs, Road Runners
Lookin' For: Girls 13-15

Lisa D. Shepherd (13)
Star Route, Box 36
Pleasanton, Texas 78064

Digs: Guys, Fast Cars, Skateboarding, Music (Rock, Country), and More!
Lookin' For: Sexy Guys 13-16

DFC Michael J. Brand (18)
HHC 130th Engr Bde
APO New York 09165 (Hanau, Germany)

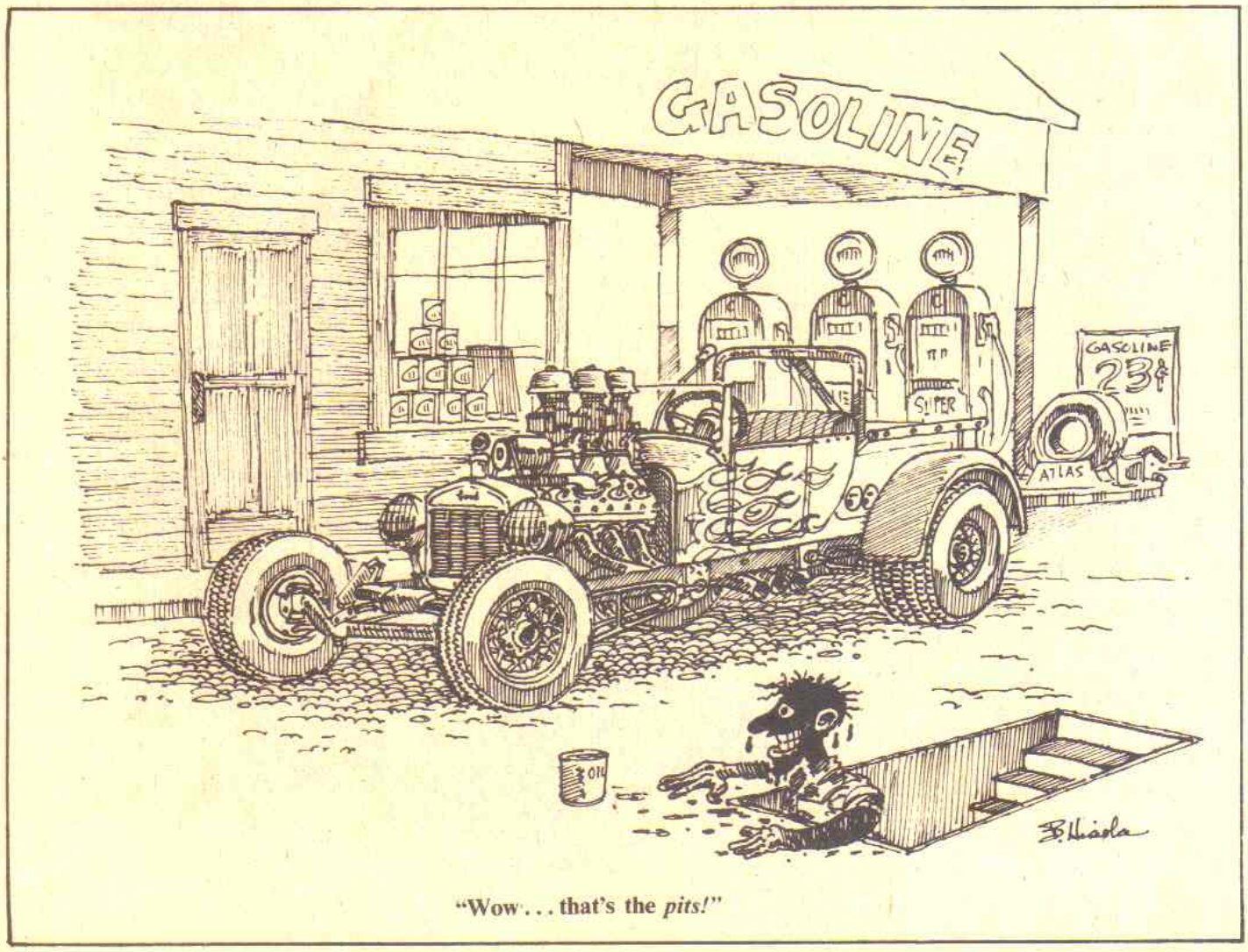
Digs: C.W. Music, Old Fast Cars, Good German Beer, CB
Lookin' For: Women from Dallas 18-30. ALL LETTERS ANSWERED

John Gietzen (13½)
105 Read Street
Silsbee, Texas 77656

Digs: Foxy Girls, Mean-looking MG's, Playing Jazz, ELO, Hunting
Lookin' For: Foxy Girls (to drop a line to) 12+

Andy Welch (12)
11322 El Nopal
Lakeside, California 90240

Digs: Girls, 'Vettes, KISS, Chevys, Soccer
Lookin' For: Blonde Girls 11-13




"Wow . . . that's the *pits!*"

Paul Martin (13½)
111 Read Street
Silsbee, Texas 77656

Digs: Foxy Girls, Ford Pickups, Weightlifting, Drawing, Village People
Lookin' For: Foxy Girls 12+

Jolinda Angle (12)
433 North Fairview
Ridgecrest, California 93555

Digs: Corvettes, Vans, Cars, Drawing, Swimming
Lookin' For: Foxy Guys 12-14+ (Fred Zieglert)

Sandy Heathcoe (15)
2140 Duff Drive
Port Arthur, Texas 77640

Digs: Hard Rock, Fast Cars, Boys, Beach, Skateboards
Lookin' For: Boys 15-17

Alan Heathcoe (10)
2140 Duff Drive
Port Arthur, Texas 77640

Digs: Fast Cars, Hard Rock, Parties, Dirt Bikes, Pen Pals
Lookin' For: Pen pals any age, Girls 10

Stan (the Man) Fleming (18)
67 Manners Sutton Road
Saint John, New Brunswick
Canada E2K 2E2

Digs: Good-lookin' Gals, Good Rock Music, CB-ing, TV, Pen Pals
Lookin' For: Girls and Guys 15-20

Glenn Cole (12)
222 Tindall Court, Box 292
Rt. 1

East Peoria, Illinois 61611

Digs: Shelbys, Cobras and other neat Fords, Hard Rock, Drag Racing
Lookin' For: Guys or Gals 11-13

Renee Festerman (17)
7850 Randy Drive
Westland, Michigan 48185

Digs: Tackle Football, Camping, Repairing Engines, '57 Chevys, Trans Ams
Lookin' For: Tall, dark, handsome men in the Army or Navy, 18-24

Mike Salter (13)
1209 Union
Hannibal, Missouri 63401

Digs: Girls, Rock Music, Horses, Swimming, Baseball
Lookin' For: Any pen pal anywhere 11-14

Ronald Williamson (2nd year college)
P.O. Box 56-99463
Lebanon, Ohio 45036

Digs: Psychology, Flying, Vans, Older Cars, Music, Sports
Lookin' For: Females who enjoy writing

Kim Joseph (13)
813 Marlette, Apt. 2
Phoenix, Arizona 85014

Digs: Skateboarding, Sports, Disco, Movies, Parties
Lookin' For: Guys 13-15

Yinka Kalu (20)
Polytechnic Koad
P.O. Box 1269
Ibadan
Oyo State
Nigeria, West Africa

Digs: Music, Girls, Tennis, Books, Parties, Beautiful Cars
Lookin' For: Girls in late teens or early twenties

Dean Kivitt
2852 Alvarado Street
Oxnard, California 93030

Digs: Custom Cars, Dodge Trucks, Soccer, Disco, Weightlifting
Lookin' For: Girls 12-15 or other people

Bubba Walter (14)
307 College Lane
El Dorado, Arkansas 71730

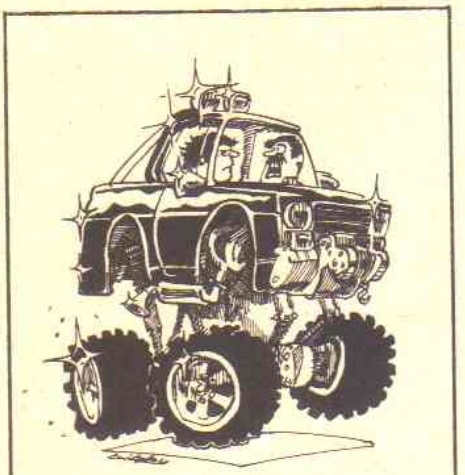
Digs: Country Western, Rock 'n' Roll, Big 10 Pickups, Fast Cars, Donna Howell
Lookin' For: Donna Howell

Tammi Mena (10)
9144 South Armadillo Trail
Evergreen, Colorado 80439

Digs: Tasting new foods, Old cars, Going to places all over the world
Lookin' For: Pen Pals (Mrs. Alice Hudson)

John Gilmore (16)
P.O. Box 6
Lismore
N.S.W. 2480
Australia

Digs: Trucks, Drags, Chicks, Hot Rods, Pop & Disco
Lookin' For: People (especially chicks) 14-17



"You mean actually take it out in the dirt? Scar up the rims? Scratch the paint? Muddy the axles? Are you crazy?

Sarah Achenbach (13)
247 Walnut Street
Lemoyne, Pennsylvania 17043

Digs: Drawing, Acting, Saturday Night Live, Billy Joel, Movies
Lookin' For: Cute Guys who LOVE to LAUGH! (13-15)

AME-3 Dave Stouffer (20)
VS-33 Paraloft
FPO San Francisco, California 96601

Digs: Country Music, Rodeo, Dirt Bikes, Partying
Lookin' For: Gals 17 to 21

Ross Engraf (13)
RR 1, Box 26
Hettinger, North Dakota 58639

Digs: Skateboards, Village People, Music, Camping, Dirt Bikes
Lookin' For: Nice Girls 10-13

Brad Laylor (13)
102 North Maine Street
Sallisaw, Oklahoma 74955

Digs: Girls, Hard Rock, Guitar, Drums
Lookin' For: Girls 12-16

Eric Baynes (13)
P.O. Box 1575
St. Thomas, Virgin Islands 00801

Digs: GIRLS, Pizza, Hamburgers, GOOD Parties, Vans

Irene Way (14)
595 Bore Bank Street
Winnipeg, Manitoba
Canada R3N 1E8

Digs: Skateboard, 'Vettes, Disco, Vans, Rollerskating
Lookin' For: Boys 14-16

Buddy Gibson (13)
Rt. 2, Ruggles Ferry Pike
Strawberry Plains, Tennessee 37871

Digs: Skateboarding, Motorcycles, Girls, 'Vettes, Rock 'n' Roll
Lookin' For: Girls 12-15 (who dig skateboarding?)

Tony Mooney (17)
Rt. 3, Lane Trl. Park, #14
Broken Bow, Oklahoma 74728

Digs: Ted Nugent, '57 Chevys, Heavy Parties, Lifting Weights
Lookin' For: Girls 16-18

Henry Scripps (16)
P.O. Box 188
Balmorhea, Texas 79718

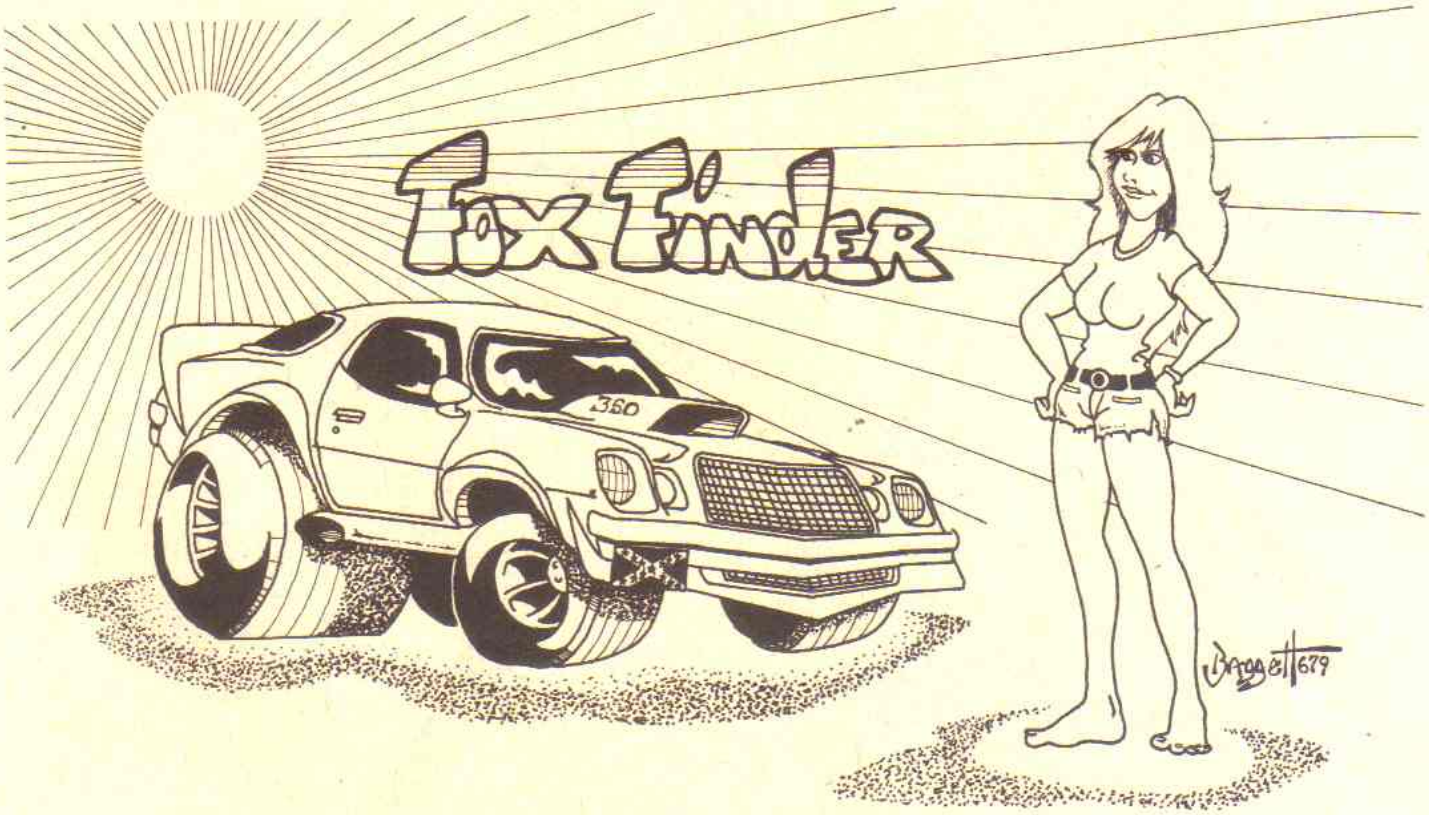
Digs: Corvettes, Loud music, Collecting guitars, Aerosmith, Cheap Trick
Lookin' For: Girls 14-18

Julie Guglielmi (13)
833 Cayuga Avenue
San Francisco, California 94112

Digs: Parties, Movies, Music, Skateboarding, Z-28's
Lookin' For: Guys 13-15

# SIDE SHOW

DONN BAGGETT
SEVIERVILLE, TN




RON ELNESS
WINDOM MN

STAR-CROSSED
LOOKIT THE CUSTOM PAINT JOB I GOT AT 'McSTREAKS' AIN'T IT SUPER?!!!
THAT'S A PRETTY UNIQUE DESIGN! HOW MUCH BREAD DID YOU HAVE TO LAY OUT?
JUS' $10.50
$10.50! I CAN EVEN AFFORD THAT!
WELL, I DON'T KNOW HOW LONG THAT PRICE IS GOOD...
WHERE IS THIS PLACE?
'McSTREAK'S' IS THAT NEW SHOP RIGHT NEXT TO THE GYM.
OH.
'McSTREAK' USED TO BE A BIG-TIME BASKETBALL STAR. I WONDER HOW HE GOT INTO THIS...
...BUSINESS!
HUH? $10.50
SURE IS NIFTY... PAINT YOUR CAR 'CAUSE I'M THE STAR!"
VAN
ZIP!
WIPPO
SPLA
GREEN
RED
BLUE
FRANK HOLDSWORTH

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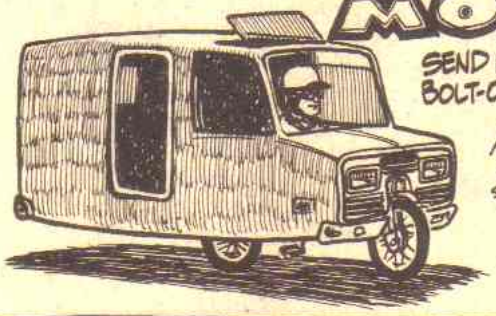
## GAS SHORTAGE Special

WANT THE ROOM AND CONVENIENCE OF A VAN AND THE ECONOMY OF A MOPED?



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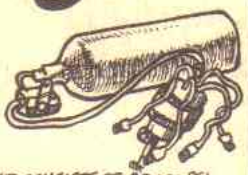

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NOW ANY CAR, TRUCK, VAN... EVEN A MOTORCYCLE IF YOU ARE CLEVER... CAN HAVE A SUNROOF! AND IT NEED NOT COST MUCH... DEPENDING ON HOW GOOD A 'SCROUNGER' YOU ARE!

The kit includes Ⓐ a "Mark VII Metal Perforation unit, Ⓑ a set of Hercules Angle deflectors, Ⓒ a supply of "PermoDura Bonding Agent and Gap Closure Material, and Ⓓ "Glass Scrounging Tool" (which you use to obtain tinted safety-glass from a handy windshield.)

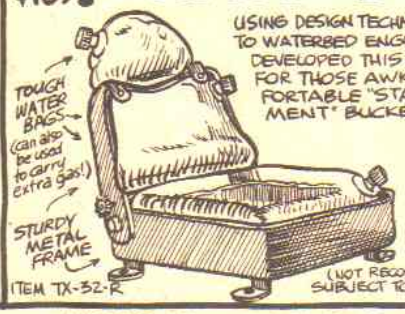
ITEM XF-3740-T

GAS SHORTAGE Special

# IF YOU LIKE YOUR WATERBED ...YOU'RE GONNA LOVE WATERBUCKETS®

$189.95

USING DESIGN TECHNIQUES SIMILAR TO WATERBED ENGINEERING, WE DEVELOPED THIS REPLACEMENT FOR THOSE AWKWARD, UNCOMFORTABLE "STANDARD EQUIPMENT" BUCKET SEATS.




Our unique design uses 3 water bags to duplicate... and surpass ordinary auto seating.

(NOT RECOMMENDED FOR PERSONS SUBJECT TO SEASICKNESS)

ITEM TX-32-R

GAS SHORTAGE Special

IF YOU'RE ONE OF THOSE FOLKS WHO WONDER WHY WE HAVE TO PAY MORE FOR UNLEADED GAS THAN FOR GAS WITH LEAD IN IT... YOU CAN REJOICE! NOW YOU CAN LITERALLY MAKE YOUR OWN "UNLEADED" GAS FROM LESS-EXPENSIVE LEADED GAS... RIGHT INSIDE YOUR CAR'S GAS TANK!

# LEAD® MAGNET

$19.95

ITEM MGL-21-X

MOUNTS EASILY... NAIL ONE END OF THE CHAIN JUST OUTSIDE YOUR GAS CAP... LET THE LEAD MAGNET DANGLE INTO THE GAS TANK WHERE IT GOES TO WORK 24 HOURS A DAY, GRABBING EVERY PARTICLE OF LEAD... SAVING YOU MONEY DAILY!!!

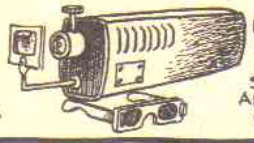
GAS SHORTAGE Special

# KEEP YOUR FAVORITE GAS STATION ALL TO YOURSELF!

## HIDE IT FROM EVERYONE ELSE! CAMOUFLAGE IT WITH OUR NEW "DRIVE-IN MORTUARY"® HOLOGRAM!

BY PROJECTING AN IMAGE OF A DRIVE-IN MORTUARY... TO HIDE A FAVORITE GAS STATION... YOU TOTALLY DISCOURAGE ANYONE ELSE FROM USING IT. THE STATION OWNER MAY WONDER WHY YOU'RE HIS ONLY CUSTOMER, 'CAUSE FROM HIS VIEWPOINT, THE IMAGE DOESN'T SHOW UP. ALL HE SEES ARE CARS PASSING HIM BY!

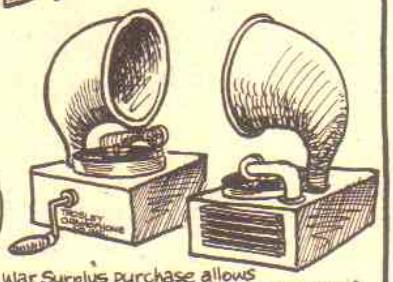
KIT INCLUDES A 2000-WATT KRYPTON LASER, HOLOGRAPHIC FILM, AND A PAIR OF DARK GLASSES FOR EYE PROTECTION.



$1333.66 ITEM LZ 2

# SPECIAL PURCHASE! $29.00/SET

# CAR STEREO SALE!



Special War Surplus purchase allows us to offer these self-powered "ULTRA STEREO" units at a real saving! (Its up to you to find two identical 78 rpm records... and make 'em play in sync.)

ITEM CSCS-22-T

# BONUS DEAL!

(TWO OF THE SETS SHOWN AT LEFT... FOR ONLY $57.99

# QUAD STEREO SETS

GAS SHORTAGE Special

## BOLT ON AN E-Q-S RETROFIT "SUPER CHARGER" AND INCREASE YOUR HORSE POWER!

WANT EXTRA HORSEPOWER ...WITHOUT INCREASING YOUR GAS MILEAGE?

$2175.01

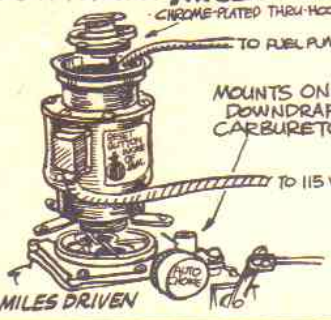
PRICE INCLUDES BUGGY WHIP & FEEDBAG

ITEM FLE-BG-4

GAS SHORTAGE Special

YOU'VE PROBABLY SEEN SIMILAR ITEMS ADVERTISED ON TV... AND IN WEIRD MAGAZINES... FOR AS MUCH AS $149.95! WELL, THANKS TO A SPECIAL DEAL WITH OUR SUPPLIERS, WE'RE OFFERING A DEVICE THAT CAN INCREASE YOUR GAS/MILEAGE* BY TEN TIMES OR MORE... AND WE'RE SELLING IT FOR ONLY TWICE AS MUCH!

## SUPERTURBO HYPERSONIC FUEL PULVERIZER®




$197.91 ITEM G.D.47

*GAS MILEAGE RATIO = GALLONS ÷ MILES DRIVEN

IF YOU'RE LUCKY ENOUGH TO HAVE THE GAS TO DRIVE FAST, YOU'LL WANT THIS NEW MODEL

# RADAR DETECTOR

BY TRANSISTORIZING, AN AGE-OLD METHOD CAN BE USED! NOW YOU CAN ACTUALLY HEAR RADAR WAVES! (AND ULTRASONIC DOG-WHISTLES... TV SET REMOTE CONTROLS... BATS...)

$3.75 PLUS 9V BATTERY

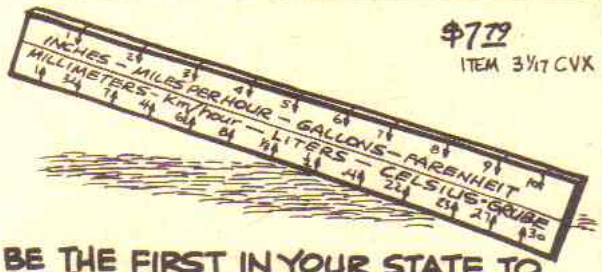
CAT. NO. 4X32

WHEN YOU KNOW THERE'S RADAR AROUND, YOU EITHER DRIVE SLOWER (YECCH!) ... OR YOU USE SOME KIND OF MODERN

# Radar JAMMER-DEFLECTOR KIT

(CONTAINS EVERY TYPE OF JAMMING GEAR WE EVER HEARD RUMORS OF!)

KIT INCLUDES: "PUKA SHELL" NECKLACE MADE OF OYSTER SHELL GROWN DOWNSTREAM FROM 3-MILE ISLAND... ROLL OF ALUMINUM FOIL TO CRUMPLE AND STUFF INTO LEFT FRONT HUBCAP... CHROMEPLATED PROPELLER TO MOUNT ON RADIO AERIAL... AND MUCH MORE! ITEM ZZZ-22 $19.98




$7.79 ITEM 3 1/17 CVX

BE THE FIRST IN YOUR STATE TO

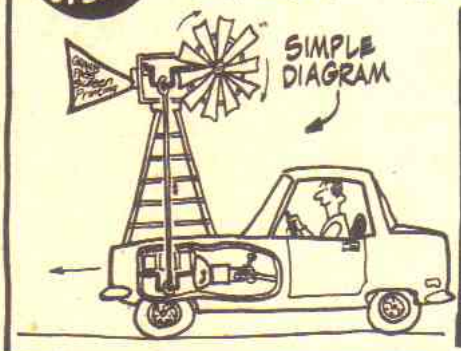
# GO METRIC!

THE JIFFY CONVERSION KIT INCLUDES A PATENT-APPLIED-FOR "KONVERT-A-RULE"! JUST FIND THE "AMERICAN" MEASUREMENT YOU WANT TO CONVERT... AND LOOK ON THE OTHER SIDE OF THE RULE FOR THE "FOREIGN" EQUIVALENT!

GAS SHORTAGE Special!

Convert Your Gas Guzzler to

# WIND POWER!

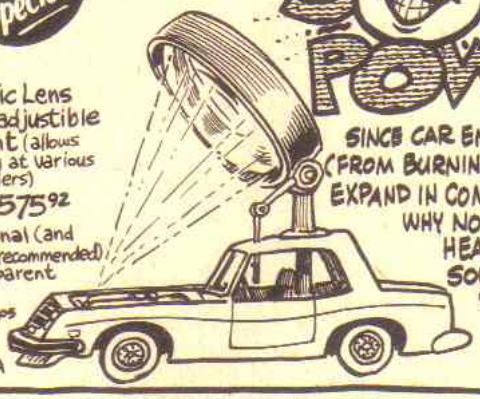



You think WINDMILLS are only good for pumping WATER?! Ha! As the diagram shows, a simple direct link from windmill shaft to car's crankshaft (just remove cylinder head and one piston) WIND power can operate car's engine through standard trans and running gear!

GAS SHORTAGE Special!

Switch-over that Gas-Hog to

# SOLAR POWER



Basic Lens with adjustible mount (allows aiming at various cylinders) $15.75 92

Optional (and highly recommended) transparent hood $2.50 95

ITEM 11112-A

SINCE CAR ENGINES USE HEAT (FROM BURNING GASOLINE) TO EXPAND IN COMBUSTION CHAMBER, WHY NOT USE INTENSE HEAT FROM OUTSIDE SOURCE (MAGNIFIED SUN'S RAYS) FOR SAME EFFECT? INDEED... WHY NOT!

GAS SHORTAGE Special!

DON'T LET A GASOLINE SHORTAGE PUT THE OLD FREEZ-EROO ON YOUR WINTER FUN! GET A

# WOOD-BURNING SNOW-MOBILE!

$17.99 77 (SNOW EXTRA)

ITEM SNO-37-W-SOOT-311379204-X-T-2267-A1/2

USE THIS HANDY

# ORDER BLANK

FILL OUT (OR FILL IN) THE PROPER SPACES IN THE ORDER FORM AND SEND WITH A STAMPED, SELF-ADDRESSED ENVELOPE TO ME, 939 CRAIGFLOWER, VICTORIA, B.C. CANADA, V9A 2X7. I'LL TRY TO SEND YOU SOMETHING! NELSON DEWEY

(SEND NO MONEY!)

NAME..... Print Clear!

ADDRESS.....

CITY..... STATE/PROV..... CODE.....

| ITEM | MODEL NO | COLOR | DATE | SECOND CHOICE | PRICE | TAX | SIZE | WEIGHT | DESCRIPTION | ? |
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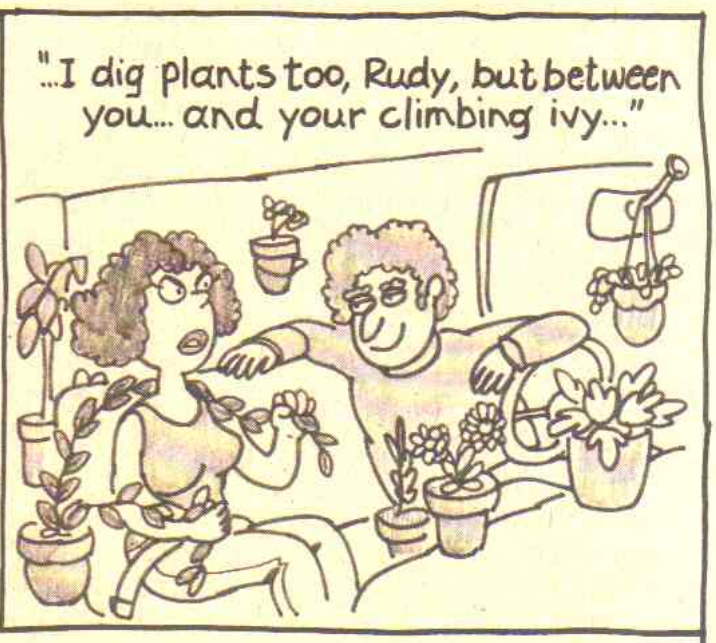
DO NOT WRITE IN THIS SPACE – – – – – FOR OFFICE USE ONLY!

(YOU CAN WRITE IN THAT SPACE IF YOU HAVE THE URGE...)

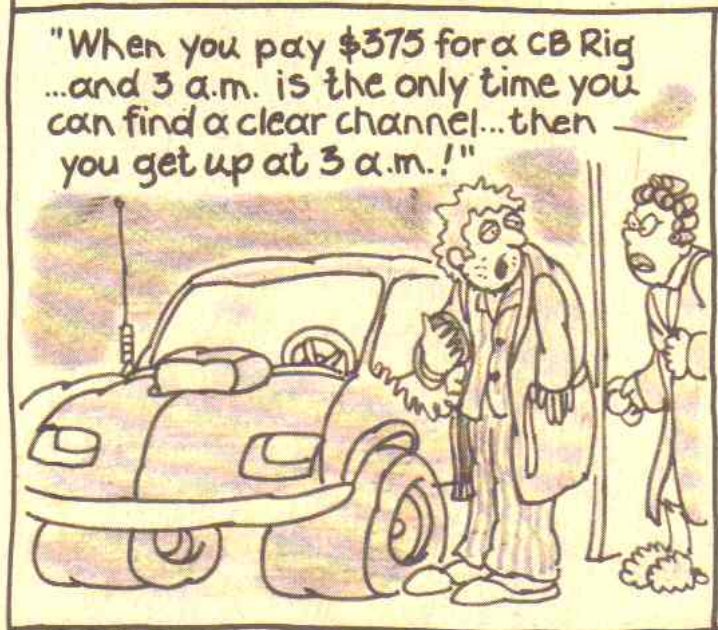
"You folks forget something?"



"...I dig plants too, Rudy, but between you... and your climbing ivy..."

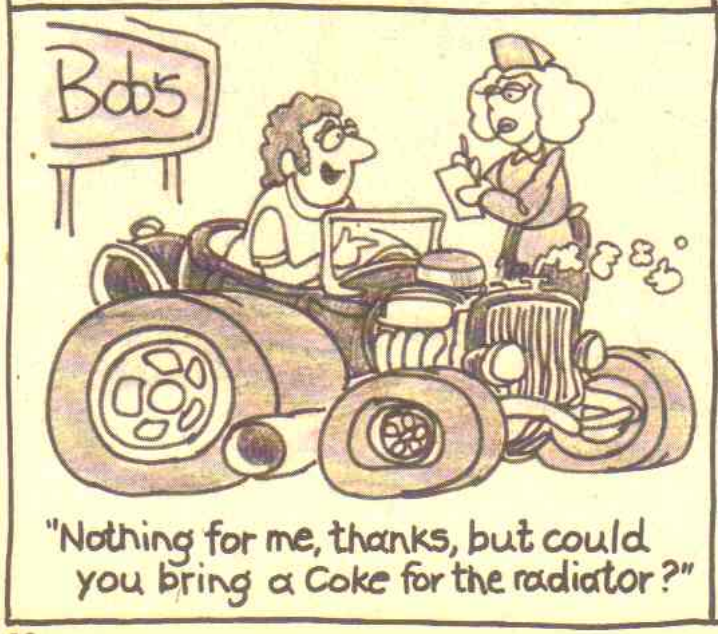
# LAUGH TRACKS

By Don Twalk



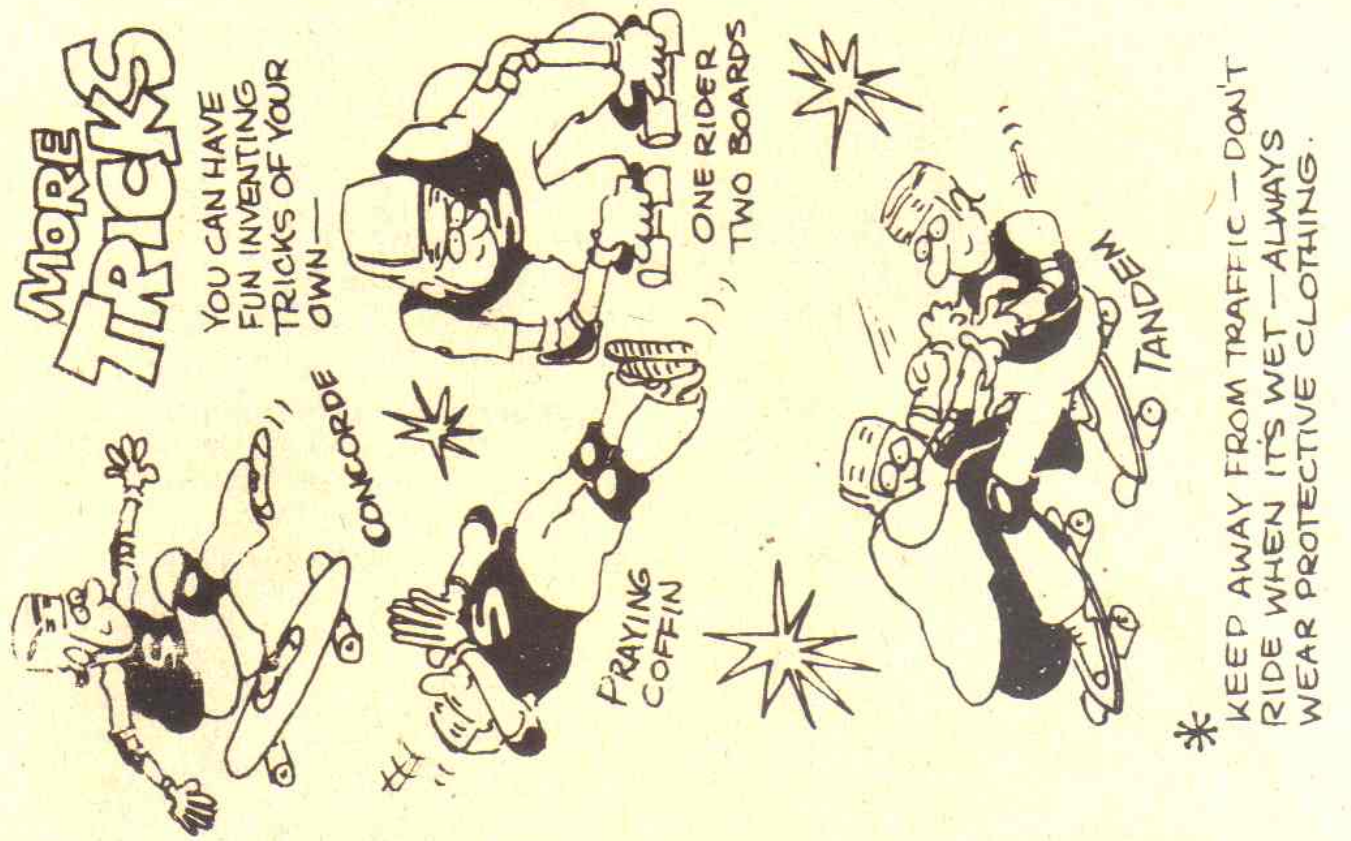
"When you pay $375 for a CB Rig ...and 3 a.m. is the only time you can find a clear channel... then you get up at 3 a.m.!"

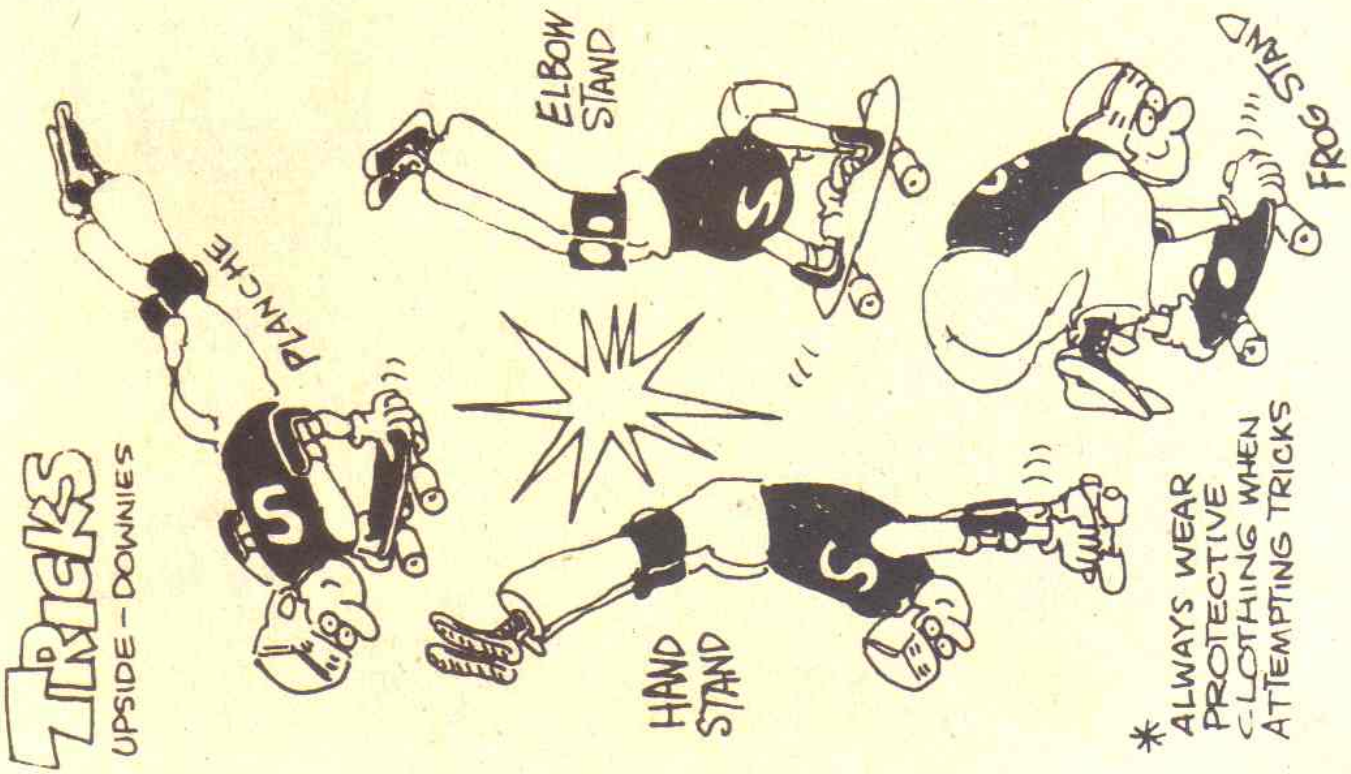
"...Verrry funny..."




"Nothing for me, thanks, but could you bring a Coke for the radiator?"

"Chief... Barton's found a way to detect speeders that can't be detected or jammed!"


MORE TRICKS
YOU CAN HAVE FUN INVENTING TRICKS OF YOUR OWN—
CONCORDE
PRAYING COFFIN
ONE RIDER TWO BOARDS
TANDEM
* KEEP AWAY FROM TRAFFIC — DON'T RIDE WHEN IT'S WET — ALWAYS WEAR PROTECTIVE CLOTHING.

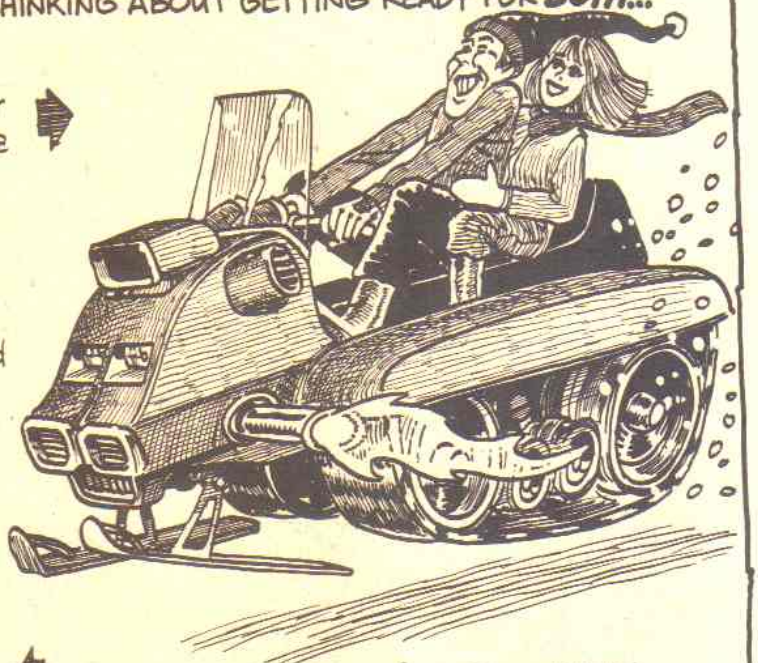

TRICKS
UPSIDE-DOWNIES
PLANCHE
ELBOW STAND
HAND STAND
FROG STAND
* ALWAYS WEAR PROTECTIVE CLOTHING WHEN ATTEMPTING TRICKS

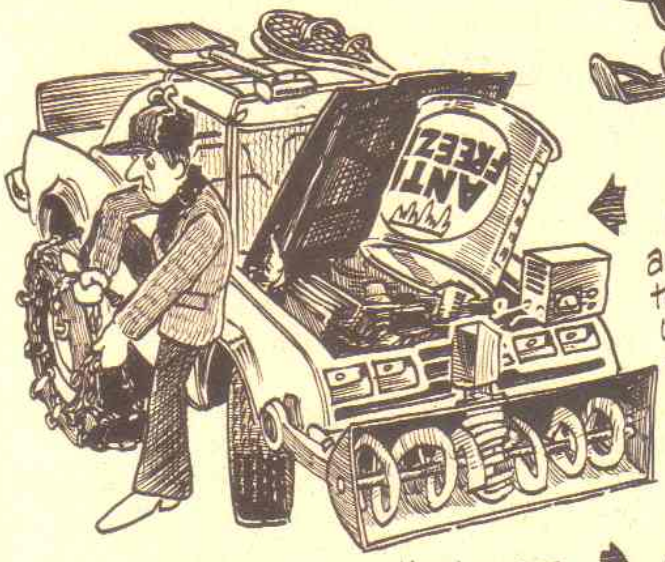
# STOKE UP FOR SNOWTIME!

WE HAVE SOME **GOOD NEWS** – AND WE HAVE SOME **BAD NEWS** FOR YOU! THE GOOD NEWS IS THAT **WINTERTIME** IS PEEKING AROUND THE CORNER... AND THE BAD NEWS IS... THE SAME THING! WINTER MEANS COLD WEATHER IN MOST OF THE COUNTRY... AND **SNOW** HERE'N'THERE, TOO!

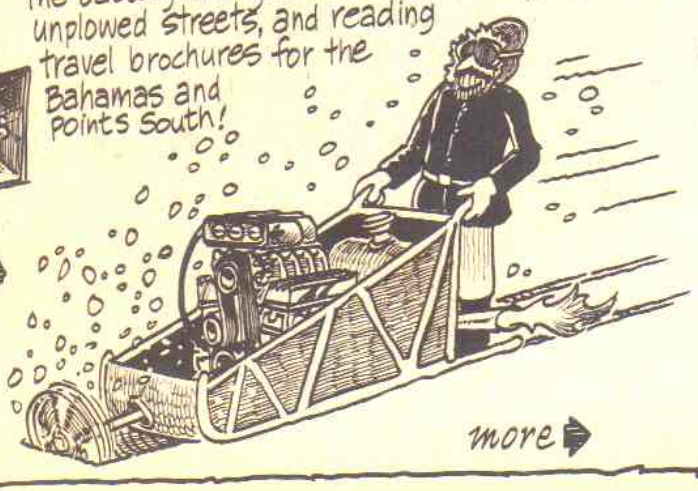
THAT KIND OF WEATHER BRINGS GOOD TIMES AS WELL AS BAD TIMES. WE THOUGHT **YOU** OUGHT TO BE THINKING ABOUT GETTING READY FOR **BOTH...**

When things are *right*, winter is a great place to be... A couple feet of fresh snow, a well-tuned snowmobile (full of gas), a foxy lady friend, a gourmet picnic lunch — and a couple hundred square miles of wilderness to wander around in! (If life could only be so sweet all the time...)






However... for many of us, snow means anti-freeze, wrestling with tire chains, keeping the battery charger on all night, chugging thru unplowed streets, and reading travel brochures for the Bahamas and Points South!



But – "stoking up for snowtime" means gettin' *ready* for it – for the bad *and* the good. (Modern technology is there to be used – if we're clever enough to think of take advantage of it....)

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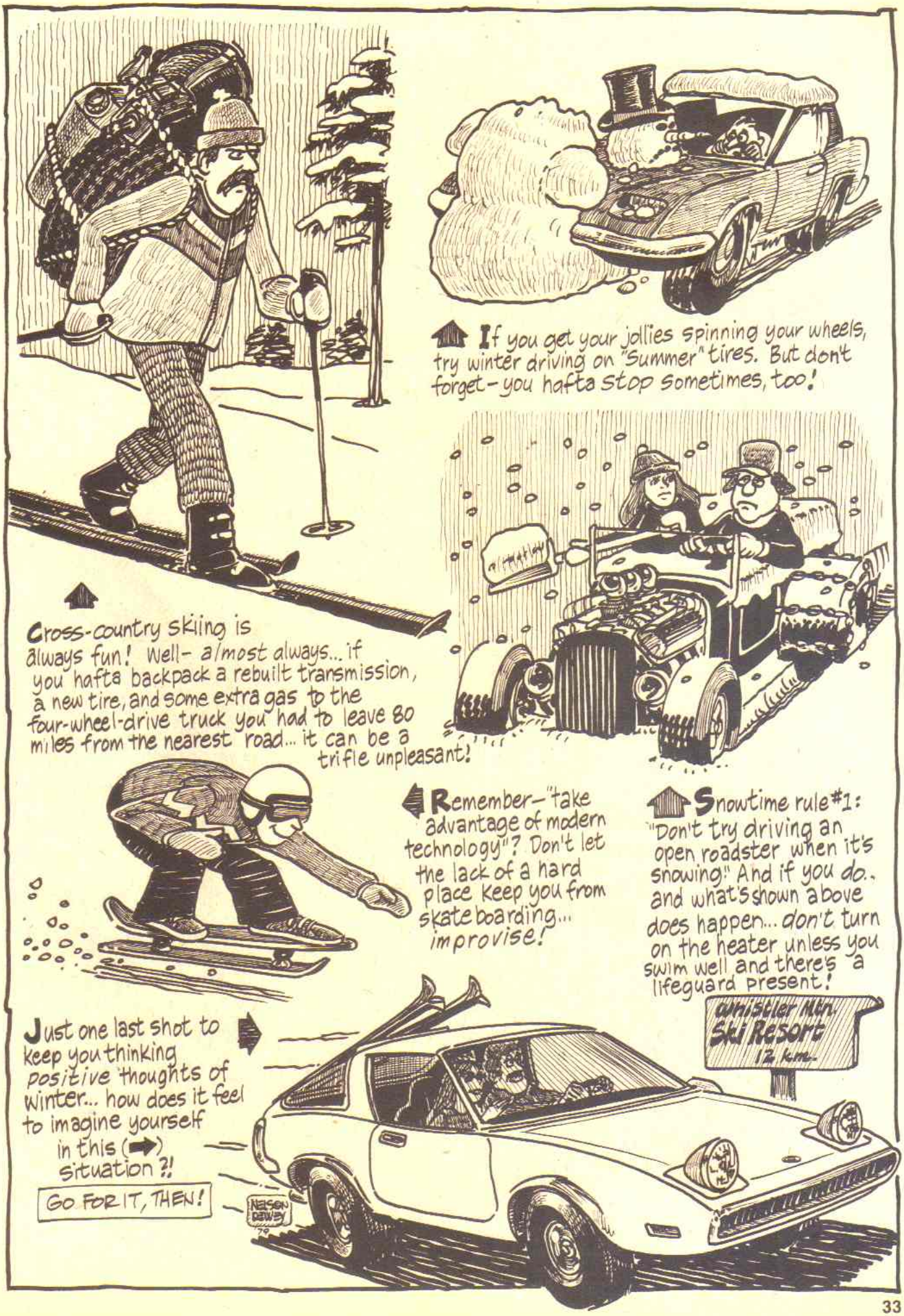
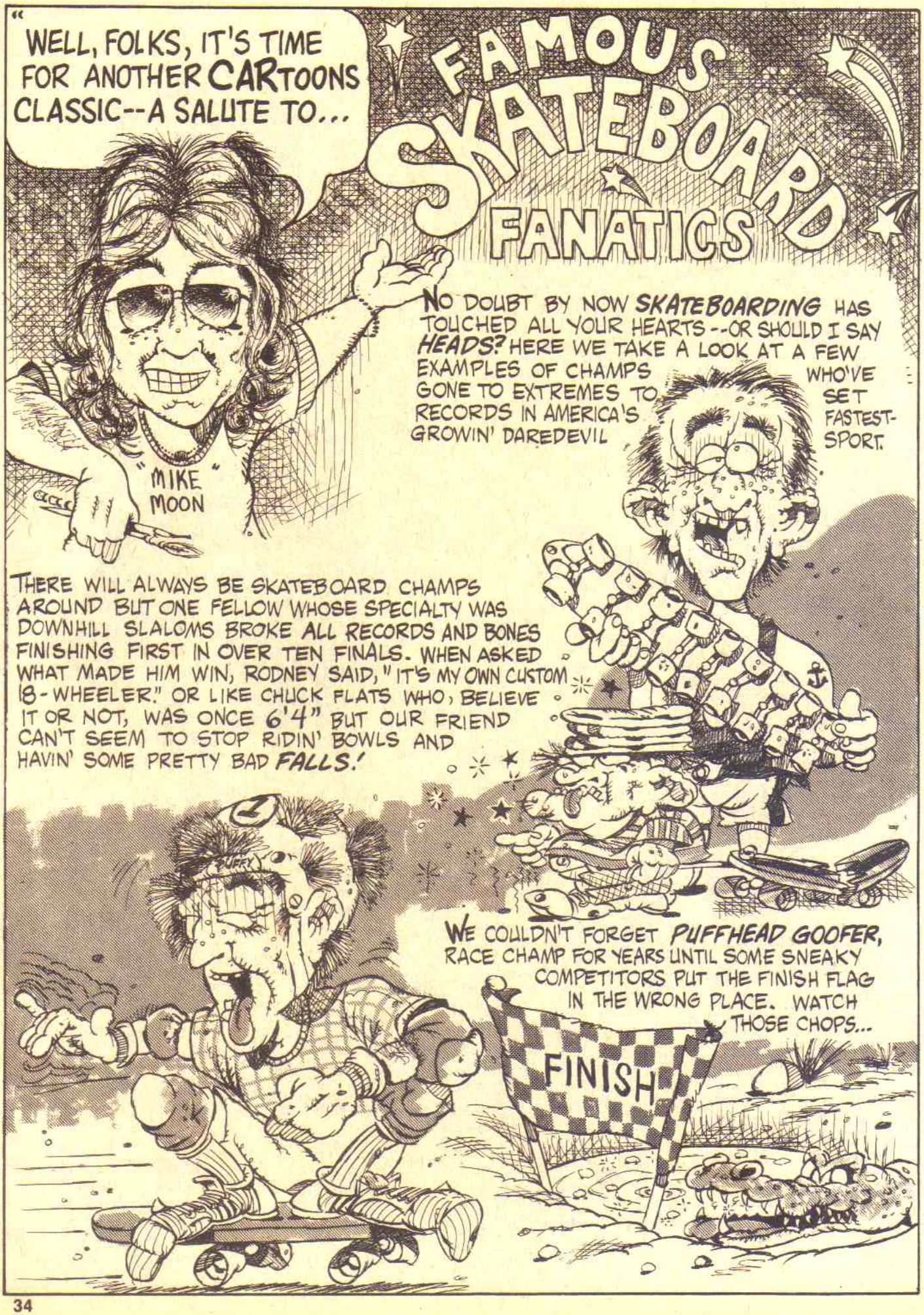
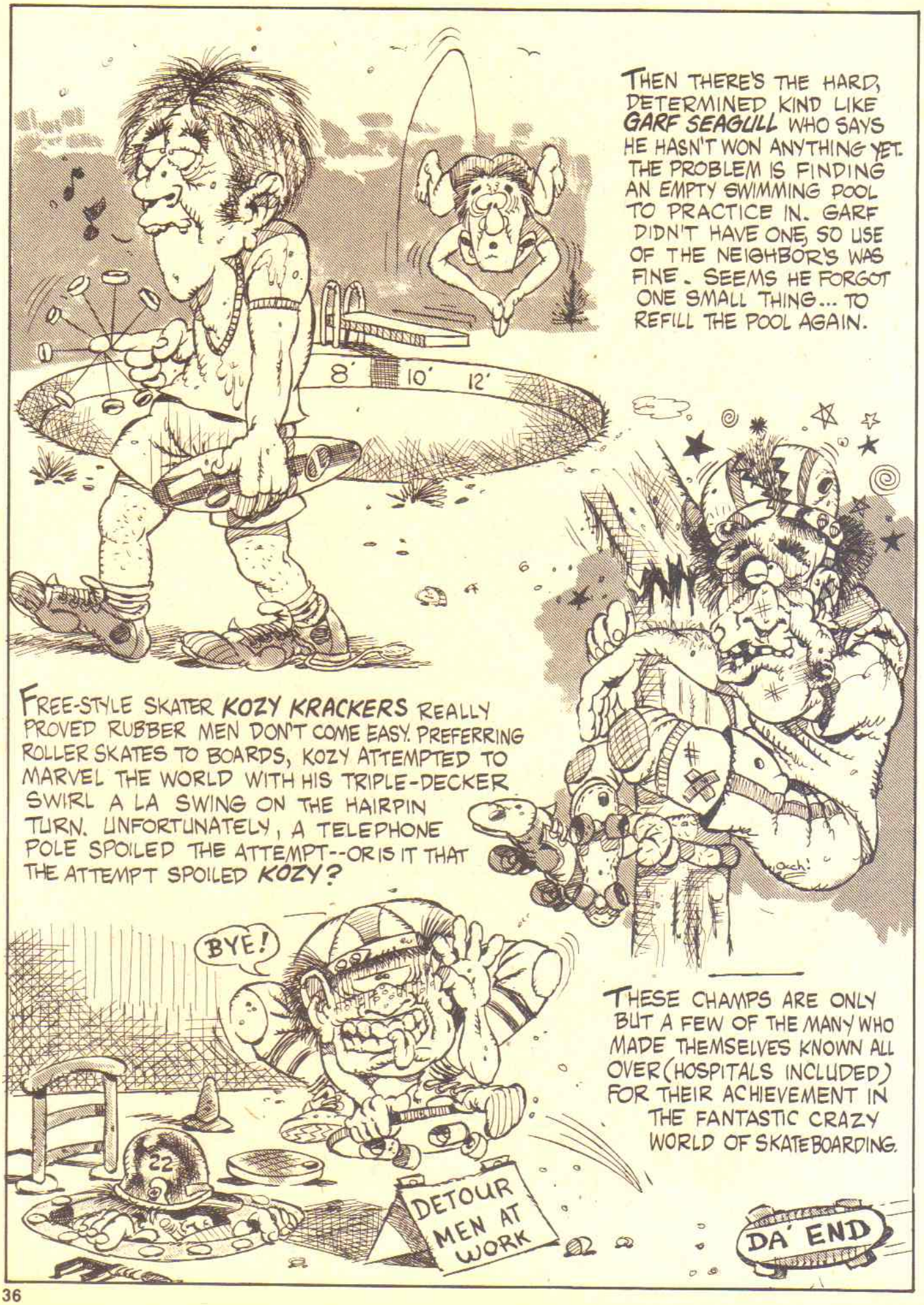

If you get your jollies spinning your wheels, try winter driving on "Summer" tires. But don't forget - you hafta stop sometimes, too!
Cross-country skiing is always fun! Well - almost always... if you hafta backpack a rebuilt transmission, a new tire, and some extra gas to the four-wheel-drive truck you had to leave 80 miles from the nearest road... it can be a trifle unpleasant!
Remember - "take advantage of modern technology"? Don't let the lack of a hard place keep you from skateboarding... improvise!
Snowtime rule #1: "Don't try driving an open roadster when it's snowing." And if you do.. and what's shown above does happen... don't turn on the heater unless you swim well and there's a lifeguard present!
Just one last shot to keep you thinking positive thoughts of winter... how does it feel to imagine yourself in this (➡) situation ?!
GO FOR IT, THEN!
Whistler Mtn. Ski Resort 12 km.
NELSON DEWEY '79


WELL, FOLKS, IT'S TIME FOR ANOTHER CARTOONS CLASSIC--A SALUTE TO...
FAMOUS SKATEBOARD FANATICS
"MIKE" MOON
NO DOUBT BY NOW SKATEBOARDING HAS TOUCHED ALL YOUR HEARTS--OR SHOULD I SAY HEADS? HERE WE TAKE A LOOK AT A FEW EXAMPLES OF CHAMPS WHO'VE GONE TO EXTREMES TO SET RECORDS IN AMERICA'S FASTEST-GROWIN' DAREDEVIL SPORT.
THERE WILL ALWAYS BE SKATEBOARD CHAMPS AROUND BUT ONE FELLOW WHOSE SPECIALTY WAS DOWNHILL SLALOMS BROKE ALL RECORDS AND BONES FINISHING FIRST IN OVER TEN FINALS. WHEN ASKED WHAT MADE HIM WIN, RODNEY SAID, "IT'S MY OWN CUSTOM 18-WHEELER." OR LIKE CHUCK FLATS WHO, BELIEVE IT OR NOT, WAS ONCE 6'4" BUT OUR FRIEND CAN'T SEEM TO STOP RIDIN' BOWLS AND HAVIN' SOME PRETTY BAD FALLS!
WE COULDN'T FORGET PUFFHEAD GOOFER, RACE CHAMP FOR YEARS UNTIL SOME SNEAKY COMPETITORS PUT THE FINISH FLAG IN THE WRONG PLACE. WATCH THOSE CHOPS...
FINISH

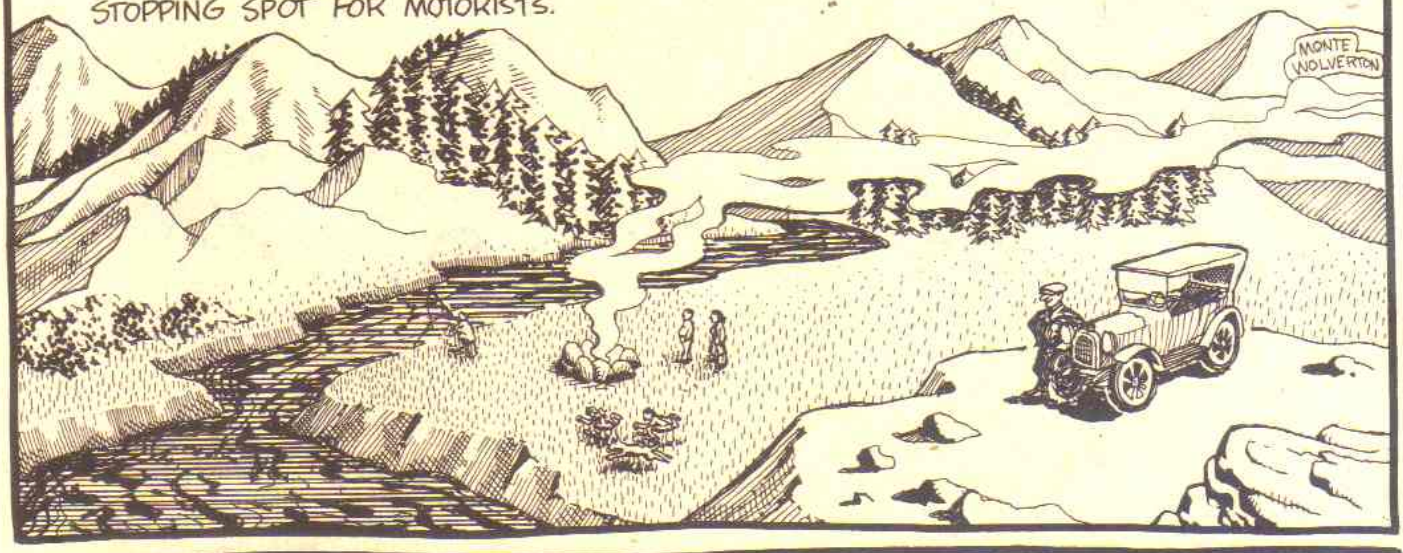
OF COURSE THERE WAS ***PROFESSOR PINZHEAD***-- ALWAYS AN INVENTOR AT HEART, FOUND THE SKATE-BOARDER'S ANSWER TO THE GAS SHORTAGE: DROP A FULL POWER-HOUSE MILL AND OTHER NEAT STUFF ON HIS SKATEBOARD. THE PROFESSOR CLAIMS THAT HALF THE FUN OF HIS NEW INVENTION IS TRYIN' TO PASS SERGEANT O'REALLY EVERYDAY ON THE FREEWAY.

NURF NUMBSKULL ASTONISHED SPECTATORS WITH THIS AMAZING DISPLAY OF RAW TRUE GRIT, RED-WHITE-AND-BLUE FEAT OF COURAGE--NOT AFTER REALIZING THAT SOMEONE RAISED THE JUMP-RAMP A LITTLE HIGHER THAN WHAT NURF WAS READY FOR. BESIDES JUMPING TWENTY-FOOT RAMPS, HE SEEMS TO ENJOY ***FLYING*** AS WELL. HAPPY LANDINGS...***HERO!***

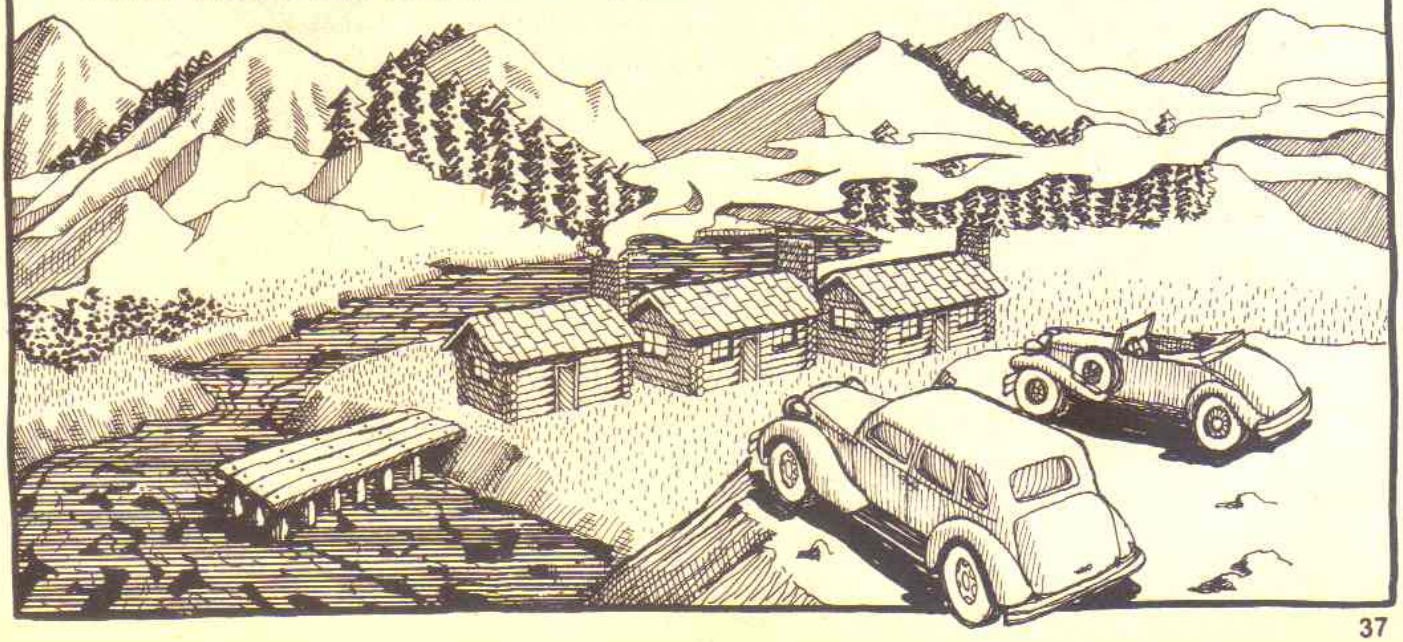

THEN THERE'S THE HARD, DETERMINED KIND LIKE GARF SEAGULL WHO SAYS HE HASN'T WON ANYTHING YET. THE PROBLEM IS FINDING AN EMPTY SWIMMING POOL TO PRACTICE IN. GARF DIDN'T HAVE ONE, SO USE OF THE NEIGHBOR'S WAS FINE. SEEMS HE FORGOT ONE SMALL THING... TO REFILL THE POOL AGAIN.
8'
10'
12'
FREE-STYLE SKATER KOZY KRACKERS REALLY PROVED RUBBER MEN DON'T COME EASY. PREFERRING ROLLER SKATES TO BOARDS, KOZY ATTEMPTED TO MARVEL THE WORLD WITH HIS TRIPLE-DECKER SWIRL A LA SWING ON THE HAIRPIN TURN. UNFORTUNATELY, A TELEPHONE POLE SPOILED THE ATTEMPT--OR IS IT THAT THE ATTEMPT SPOILED KOZY?
Ouch!
BYE!
22
DETOUR MEN AT WORK
THESE CHAMPS ARE ONLY BUT A FEW OF THE MANY WHO MADE THEMSELVES KNOWN ALL OVER (HOSPITALS INCLUDED) FOR THEIR ACHIEVEMENT IN THE FANTASTIC CRAZY WORLD OF SKATEBOARDING.
DA' END

# A HISTORY OF SKOOKUMSQUATCH CAMPGROUND

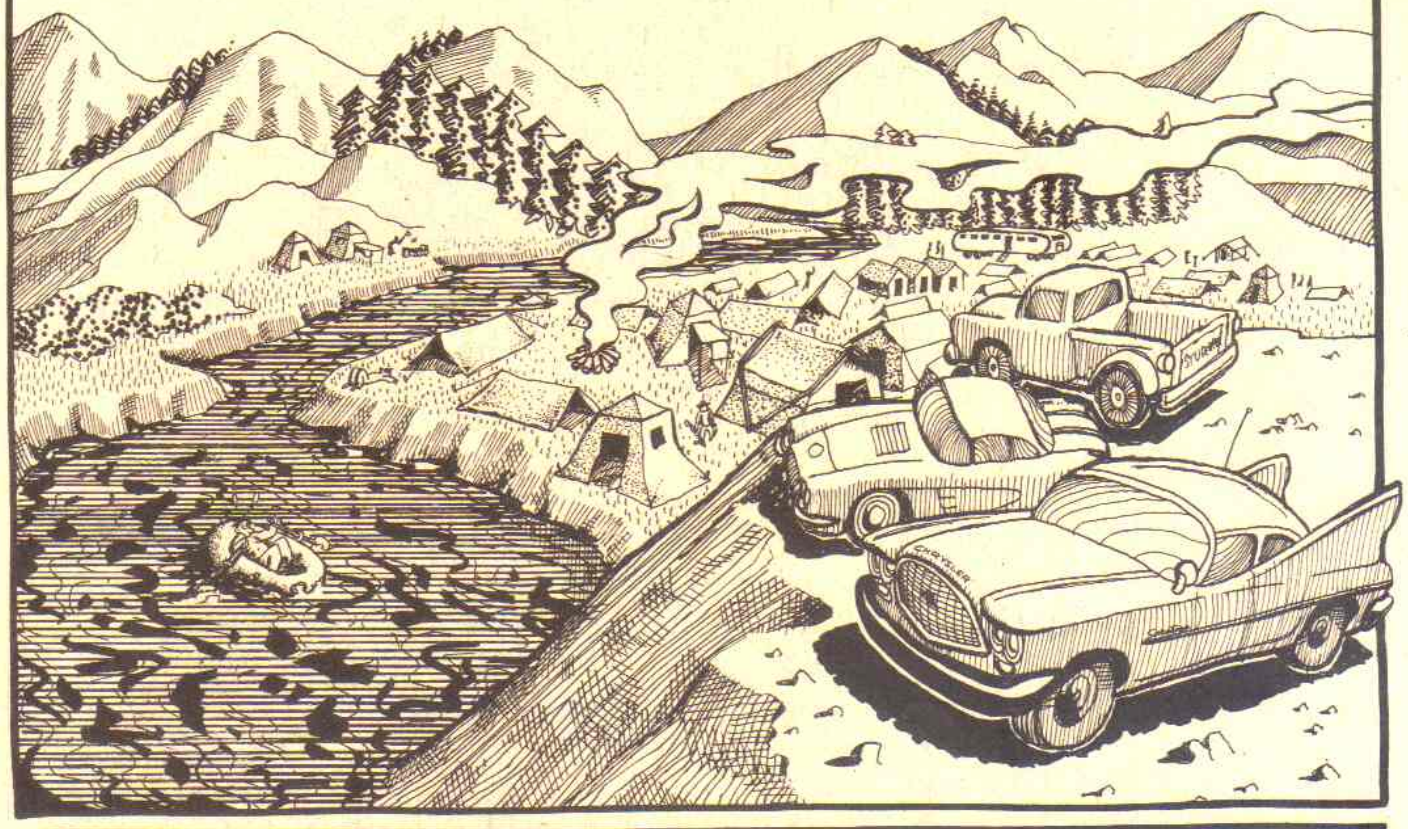
IN THE SUMMER OF 1919, **CALVIN SPLEEN** AND HIS FAMILY TOOK A MOTOR TRIP UP THE **SKOOKUMSQUATCH RIVER ROAD,** UNTIL THEN ONLY TRAVELLED BY FOOT, OR HORSE AND WAGON. THE SPLEENS CAMPED OVERNIGHT AT A BEAUTIFUL LITTLE SPOT ON THE RIVERBANK. CALVIN CAUGHT 28 STEELHEAD IN HALF AN HOUR. THEN THEY BUILT A FIREPLACE OUT OF LARGE ROUND ROCKS, WHICH THEY LEFT THERE. THE PLACE BECAME A FAVORITE STOPPING SPOT FOR MOTORISTS.



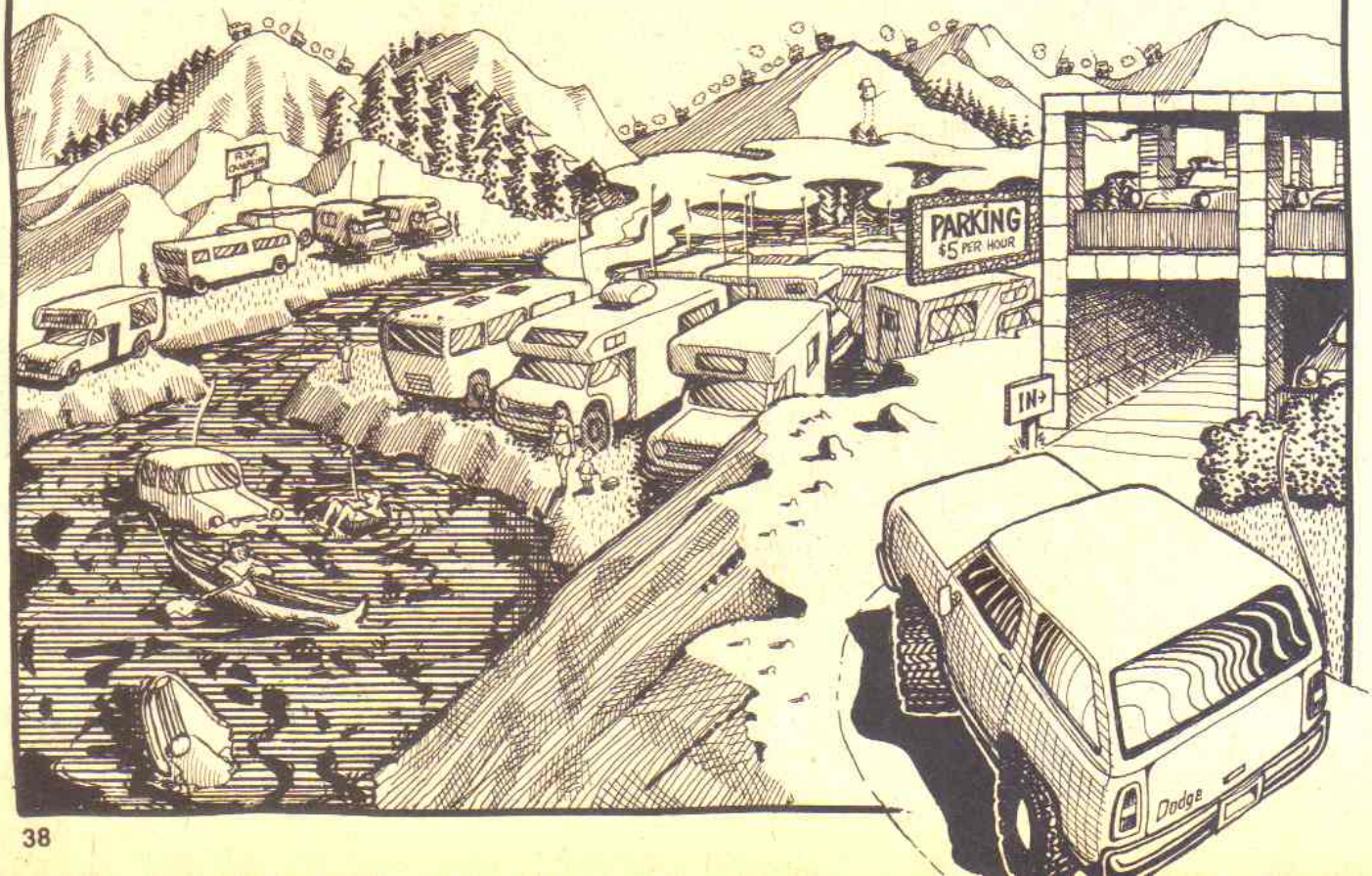

**DARVY SMAD** PICKED THE SPOT FOR HIS RESORT IN 1935. PEOPLE TRAVELLED HUNDREDS OF MILES JUST TO STAY IN ONE OF DARVY'S RUSTIC LITTLE CABINS. FIVE YEARS LATER IT WOULD ALL BURN TO THE GROUND WHEN DARVY'S CAT'S TAIL WOULD IGNITE BY BEING TOO CLOSE TO A FAULTY VACUUM TUBE IN DARVY'S OLD RADIO.



IN 1959, THE STATE BOUGHT DARVY'S LAND AND TURNED IT INTO **"SKOOKUMSQUATCH CAMPGROUND."** IT BECAME A POPULAR PLACE TO "GET AWAY FROM IT ALL" (WHATEVER "**IT**" WAS). MOST PEOPLE STAYED IN BULKY CANVAS TENTS. SOME BROUGHT TRAILERS. BUT THERE WEREN'T YET ANY CAMPERS OR MOTOR HOMES.



NOW, PEOPLE **STILL** GET AWAY FROM ALL THE NOISE AND CONFUSION OF THE SUBURBS FOR THE PEACE AND QUIET OF SKOOKUMSQUATCH.... BUT ONLY IF THEY HAVE **EARPLUGS!**



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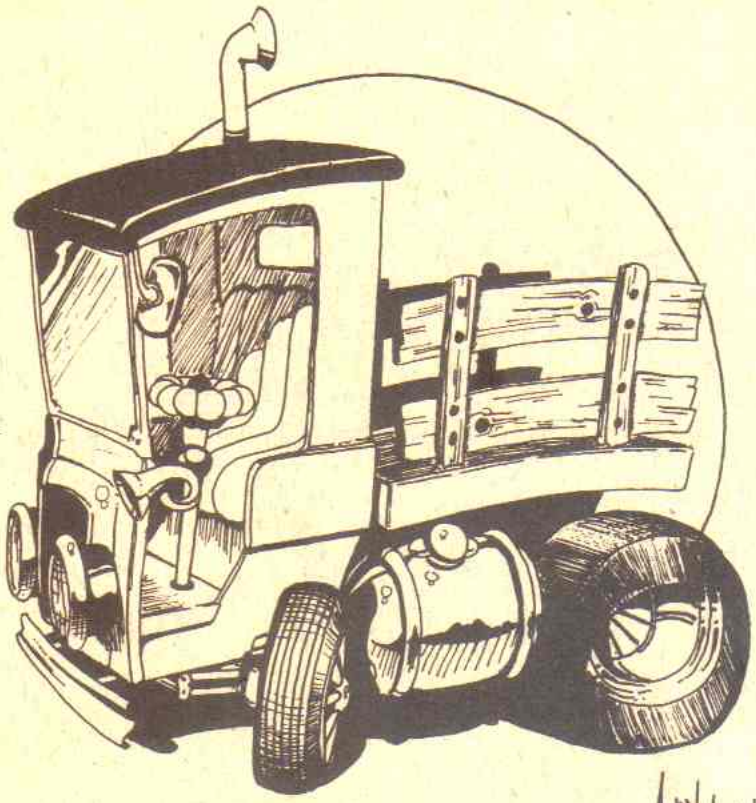


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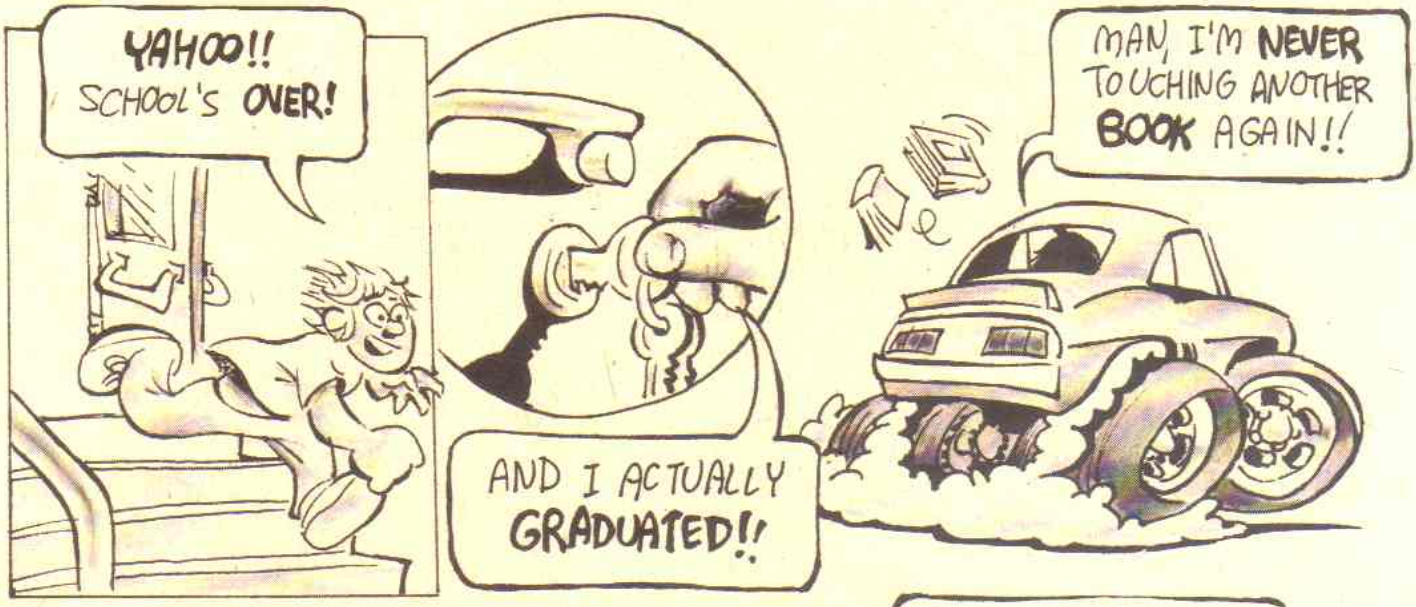
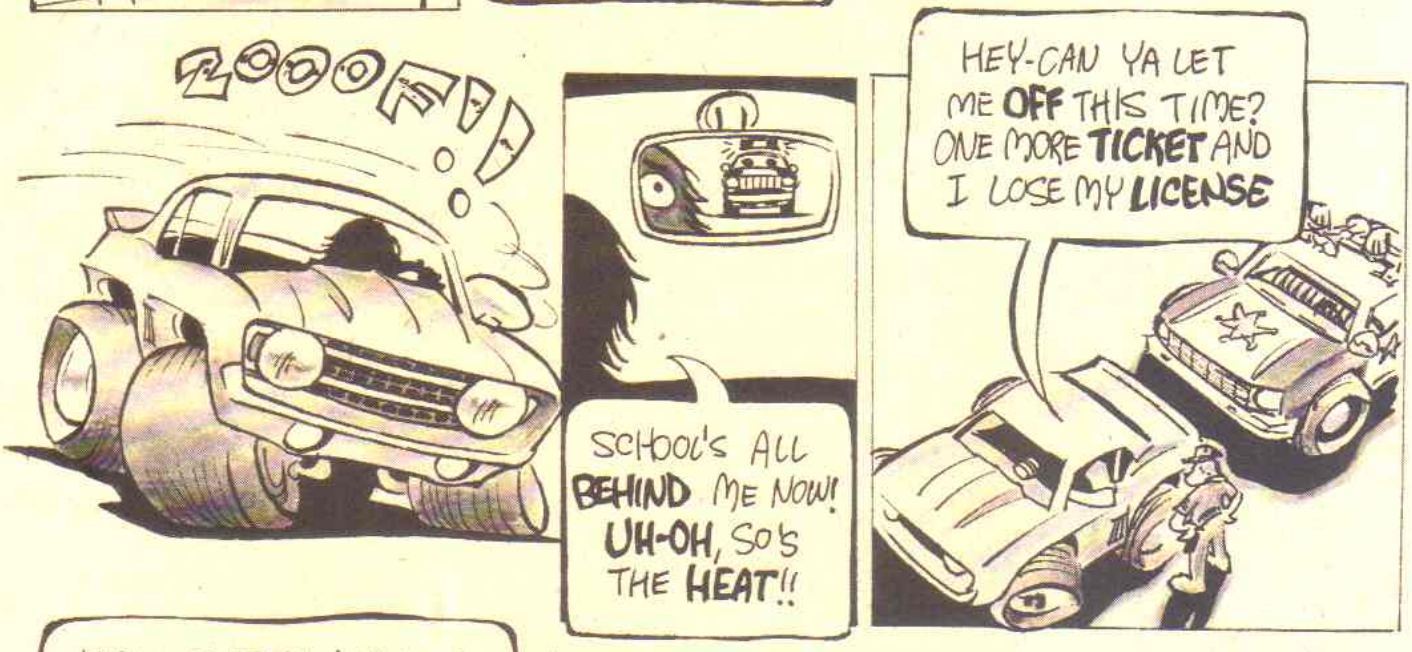
# BRAINWASH


YAHOO!! SCHOOL'S OVER!
AND I ACTUALLY GRADUATED!!
MAN, I'M NEVER TOUCHING ANOTHER BOOK AGAIN!!

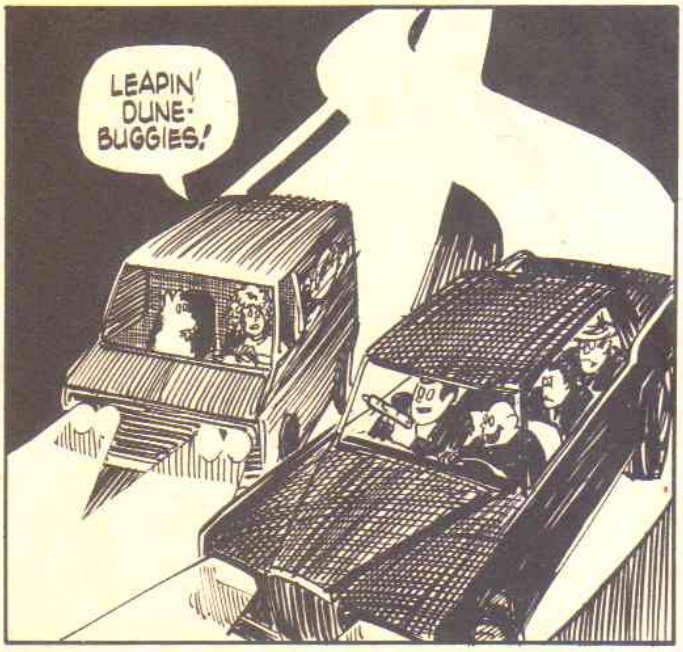

ZOOOM!!
SCHOOL'S ALL BEHIND ME NOW! UH-OH, SO'S THE HEAT!!
HEY-CAN YA LET ME OFF THIS TIME? ONE MORE TICKET AND I LOSE MY LICENSE

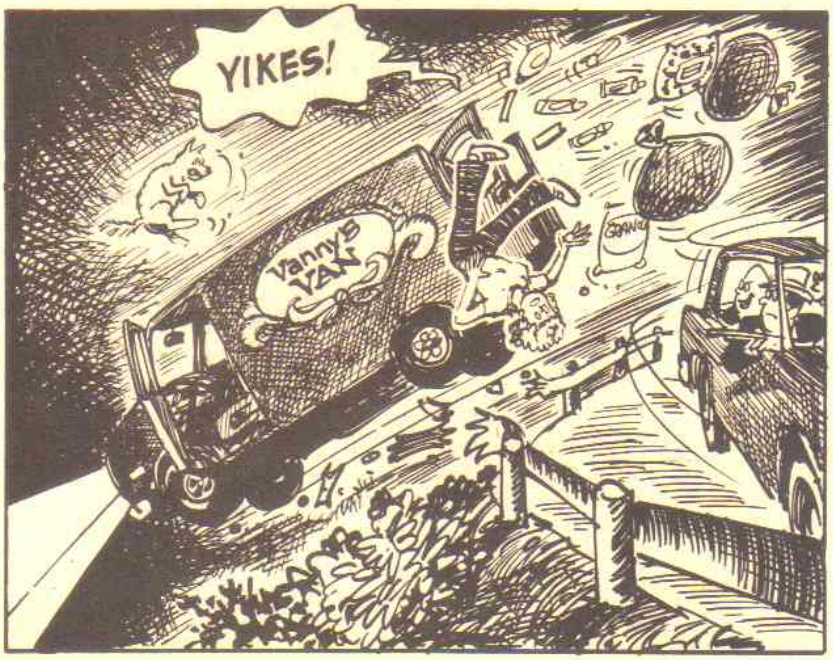
WELL, I TELL YA WOT, KID.... I'LL LET YOU GO CLEAN IF YOU AGREE TO ONE THING...
TRAFFIC SCHOOL TONITE

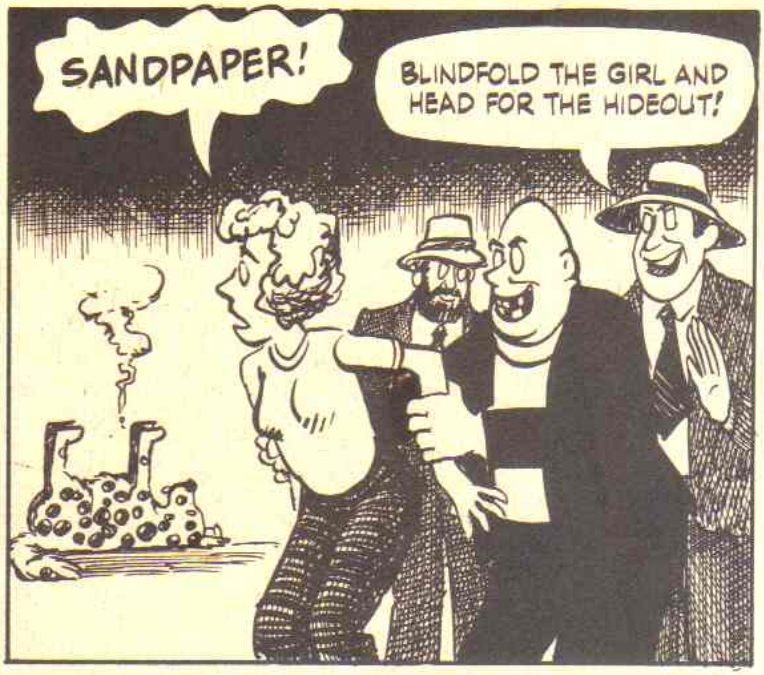
# Little Orphan Vannie

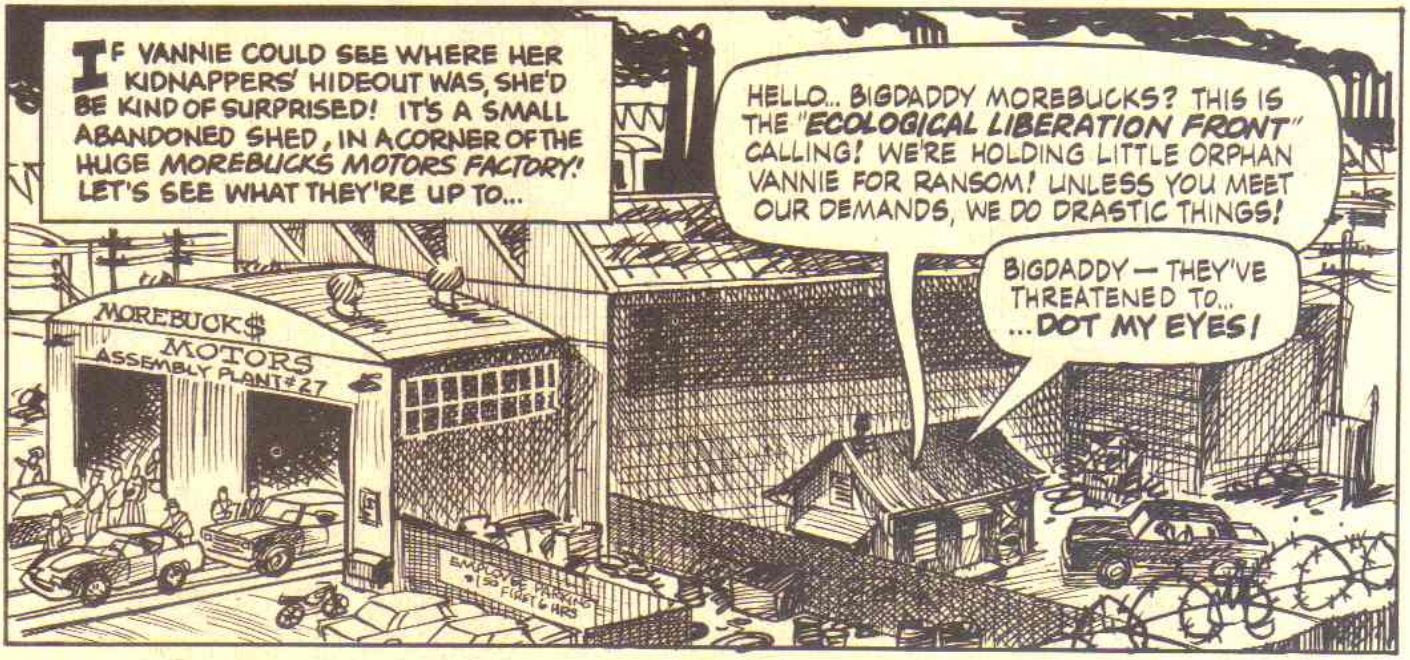
IT'S FOUR A.M.! LITTLE ORPHAN VANNIE AND HER FAITHFUL DOG, "SANDPAPER" (RUFF! RUFF!), LEAVE "SAN SIMIAN", ANCESTRAL CASTLE OF BIGDADDY MOREBUCKS, TO DO HER MORNING PAPER ROUTE. AFTER THAT, SHE'LL DO HER FREELANCE TRASH COLLECTION ROUTE, SELL ACNE MEDICINE DOOR-TO-DOOR, AND DELIVER A VANLOAD OF "AUNT VANNIE'S HONEY-AND-AVOCADO GRANOLA" TO LOCAL SUPERMARKETS. THEN, AFTER BREAKFAST —

WELL — YOU GET THE IDEA — OUR LITTLE FRIEND, VANNIE IS ONE OF A RARE BREED: A GO-GETTING, HARD-WORKING, FREE-ENTERPRISING, ENTEPRENEUR! (CONSIDERING THAT BIGDADDY MOREBUCKS WANTS TO GIVE HER AN ALLOWANCE OF $70,000 A WEEK INSTEAD, SHE'S ALSO GOT TO BE A BIT OF A SIMP!) HOWEVER, IF IT WASN'T FOR VANNIE'S STUBBORN PRIDE, WE WOULDN'T HAVE A STORY — 'CAUSE TODAY'S OUTING IS SHAPING-UP DIFFERENTLY...

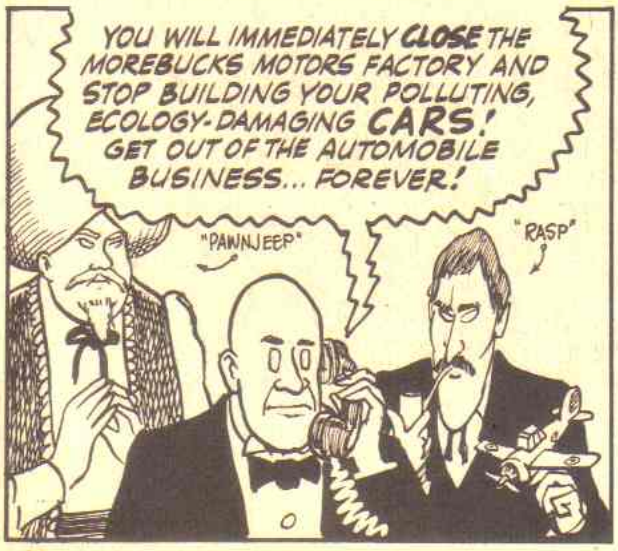





BIGDADDY AND HIS FAITHFUL SERVANTS... "RASP" AND "PAWNJEEP" LISTEN TO THE KIDNAPPERS' DEMANDS...



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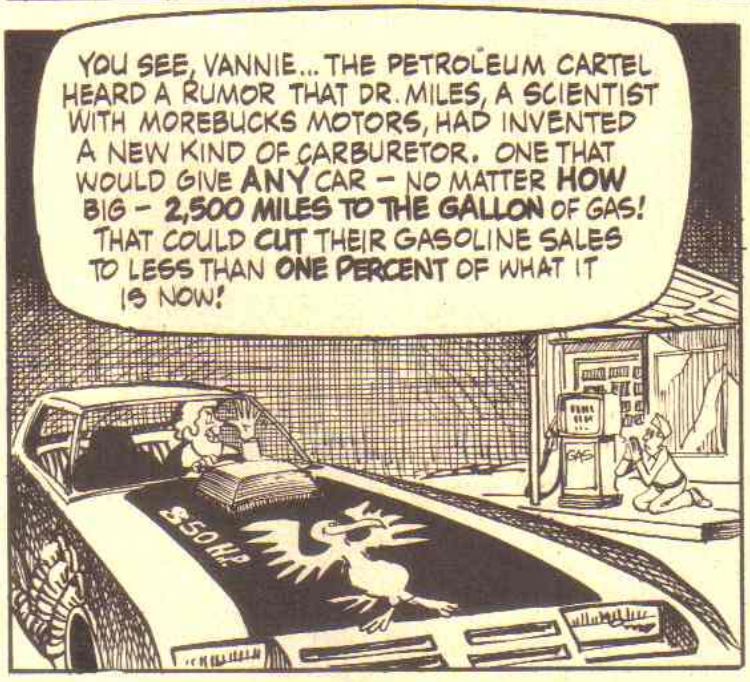
HE BOUGHT OUR STORY ABOUT BEING AN ECOLOGY GROUP...OUT TO STOP POLLUTION!
JINKIES! IF THEY'RE NOT ECOLOGY FREAKS, THEN WHAT—

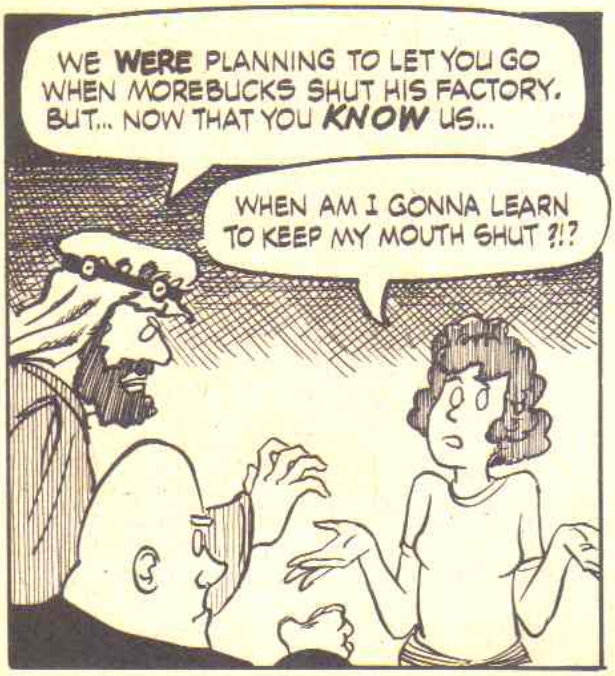
THEY'RE THE OIL PRODUCER'S EXTORTION CARTEL! THEY REPRESENT THE WORLD'S OIL PRODUCERS. THEY WANT TO CLOSE DOWN MOREBUCKS MOTORS... BUT NOT FOR REASONS OF ECOLOGY!
YOU MUST BE LITTLE VANNIE. I AM DR. MILES... AND THEY'VE KIDNAPPED ME, ALSO!


YOU SEE, VANNIE... THE PETROLEUM CARTEL HEARD A RUMOR THAT DR. MILES, A SCIENTIST WITH MOREBUCKS MOTORS, HAD INVENTED A NEW KIND OF CARBURETOR. ONE THAT WOULD GIVE ANY CAR – NO MATTER HOW BIG – 2,500 MILES TO THE GALLON OF GAS! THAT COULD CUT THEIR GASOLINE SALES TO LESS THAN ONE PERCENT OF WHAT IT IS NOW!
350 HP
GAS

SO – INSTEAD OF WANTING TO ELIMINATE POLLUTION AND ENERGY WASTE – THEY ONLY WANT TO KEEP SELLING MORE OIL... AND KEEP MAKING MORE MONEY! DISGUSTING!

OKAY, YOU FINKS! I KNOW ALL ABOUT YOUR PLAN! YOU DON'T CARE ABOUT THE ECOLOGY – YOU JUST WANT TO SUPPRESS AN INVENTION THAT MIGHT COST YOU MONEY!

WELL, I'M GONNA TELL ON YOU!

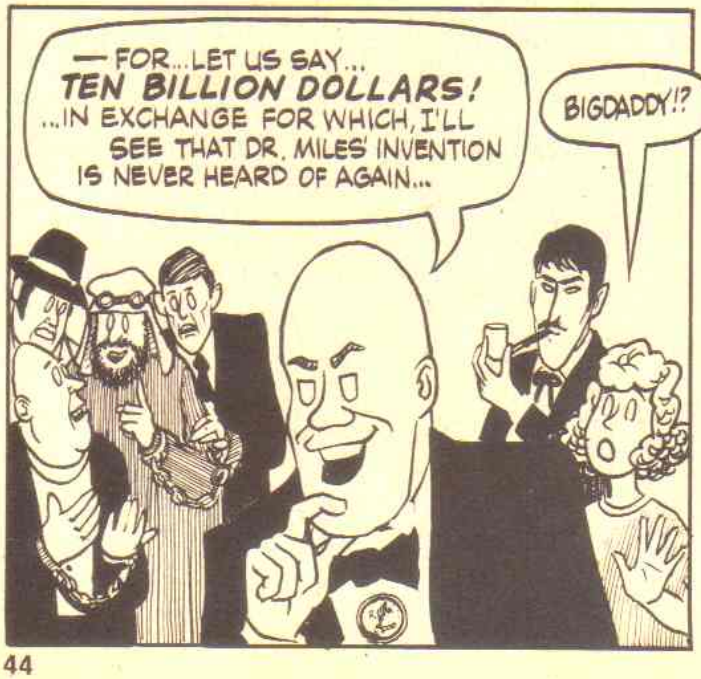

WE WERE PLANNING TO LET YOU GO WHEN MOREBUCKS SHUT HIS FACTORY. BUT... NOW THAT YOU KNOW US...
WHEN AM I GONNA LEARN TO KEEP MY MOUTH SHUT ?!?

CRASH!
SANDPAPER! YOU'RE OKAY?!
AND BIGDADDY... ..."RASP"... ..."PAWNJEEP"... HOW DID YOU FIND ME?

IT WAS YOUR FAITHFUL DOG SANDPAPER, VANNIE! DESPITE HIS WOUNDS, HE MANAGED TO CRAWL BACK UP THE 13-MILE DRIVEWAY TO THE MAIN HOUSE. AFTER FIRST AID, HE FOLLOWED YOUR TRAIL OF GRANOLA-FLAVORED ACNE MEDICINE, HERE – TO MY FACTORY!

BIGDADDY – IT WAS ALL AN EVIL PLOT! THEY DON'T CARE ABOUT THE ENVIRONMENT! THEY WANT TO SUPPRESS DR. MILES' INVENTION! THEIR ONLY CONCERN IS TO KEEP UP THEIR MONOPOLISTIC PROFITS!

GENTLEMEN! I'M SURPRISED AT YOU! GOING TO ALL THIS FUSS AND BOTHER TO GET CONTROL OF THE CARBURETOR INVENTION...
WHY DIDN'T YOU MERELY OFFER TO BUY IT FROM ME —


— FOR... LET US SAY... TEN BILLION DOLLARS! ...IN EXCHANGE FOR WHICH, I'LL SEE THAT DR. MILES' INVENTION IS NEVER HEARD OF AGAIN...
BIGDADDY!?

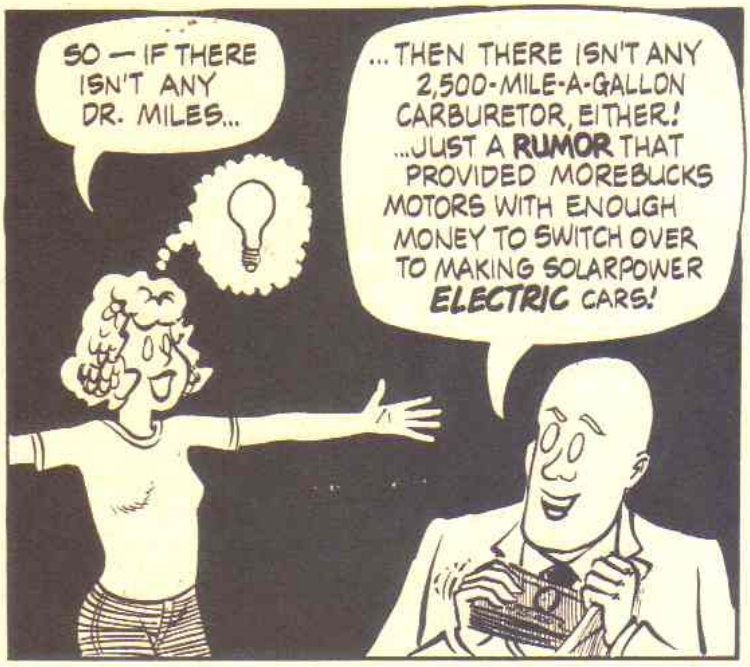
IT'S A DEAL!!!
AND... AS A MATTER OF FACT... WE WERE GOING TO BUY OREGON WHEN WE FINISHED HERE! WE JUST HAPPEN TO HAVE THE CASH WITH US! WE CAN CLOSE OUR DEAL NOW... AND BUY OREGON NEXT WEEK!

5.

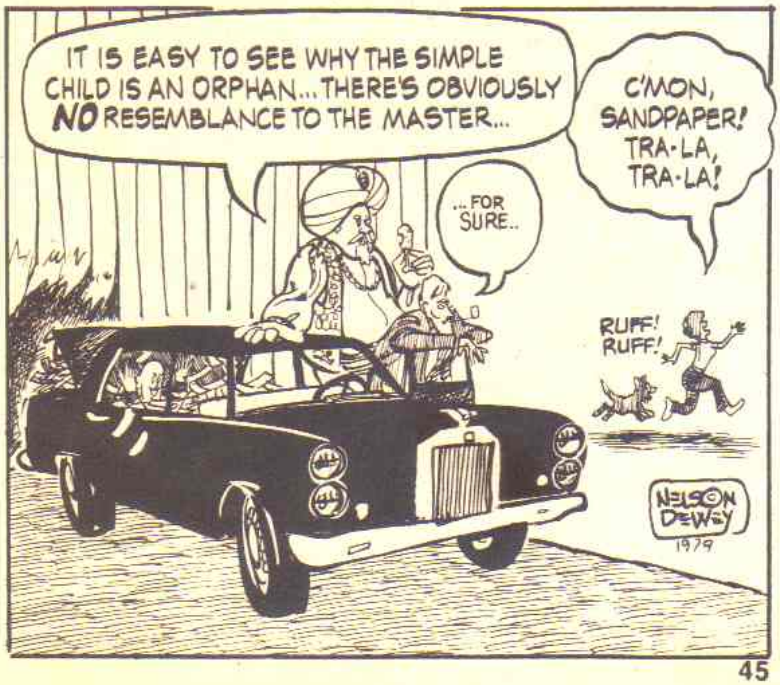
BIGDADDY – I'M ASHAMED! HOW COULD YOU DO SUCH A THING?!?

YOU'RE SELLING OUT THE WORLD'S ECOLOGY ... FOR YUCKY MONEY! BIGDADDY?!?
HE'S SERVED HIS PURPOSE, VANNIE! YOU'LL GET NO RESPONSE FROM HIM NOW...

B-B-BIGDADDY?! YOU'RE DR. MILES!? I- I MEAN... DR. MILES – HE'S YOU ?! WHO – HOW...
HE'S A REMOTE CONTROL CLONE, VANNIE... TAKING MY PLACE WHILE I PRETENDED TO BE DR. MILES!


SO – IF THERE ISN'T ANY DR. MILES...
... THEN THERE ISN'T ANY 2,500-MILE-A-GALLON CARBURETOR, EITHER! ...JUST A RUMOR THAT PROVIDED MOREBUCKS MOTORS WITH ENOUGH MONEY TO SWITCH OVER TO MAKING SOLARPOWER ELECTRIC CARS!

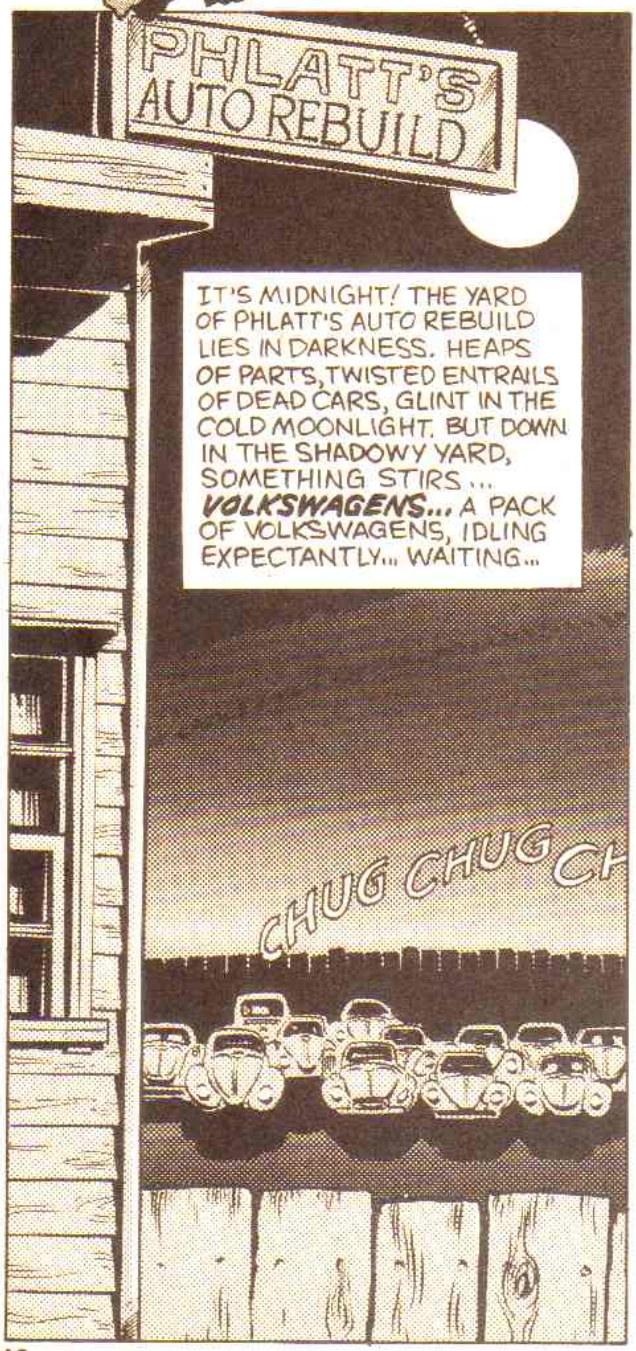
JEEPERS! "ALL'S WELL THAT ENDS WELL", HUH? AND HEY – IF I HURRY, I CAN STILL DELIVER A PAPER TO OLD MR. CLUTCHAPOP... AND GET THE DIME TIP HE GIVES ME IF I'M NOT MORE THAN TWO HOURS LATE!


IT IS EASY TO SEE WHY THE SIMPLE CHILD IS AN ORPHAN... THERE'S OBVIOUSLY NO RESEMBLANCE TO THE MASTER...
... FOR SURE..
C'MON, SANDPAPER! TRA-LA, TRA-LA!
RUFF! RUFF!
NELSON DEWEY 1979

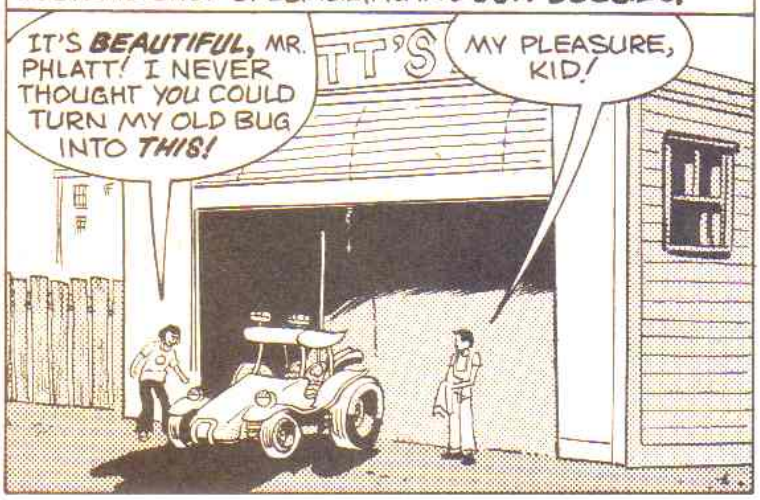
# TALES OF THE OL' MECHANIC!

HIYA, ***GAS GUZZLERS!*** THIS IS YER PAL, THE ***OL' MECHANIC,*** WITH ANOTHER ***WEIRD CAR TALE*** THAT'LL MAKE YA ***SLIP YER CLUTCH!*** IT'S A CHILLIN' TALE O' VENGEANCE FROM ***BEYOND THE GARAGE*** THAT'LL DRIVE YA BUGGY... ***DOON*** BUGGY, THAT IS! SO SETTLE BACK IN THAT BUCKET SEAT, TURN DOWN THE 8-TRACK, AN' LISTEN TO THE STORY I CALL...

## MISSED SHIFT!




WHAT GOES ON, *YOU* ASK? WHY ARE THESE GRIM BEETLES LYING IN WAIT IN PHLATT'S AUTO YARD? COME BACK WITH ME TO LAST YEAR... WHEN PHLATT'S WAS A BUSTLING SHOP SPECIALIZING IN ***DOON BUGGIES!***

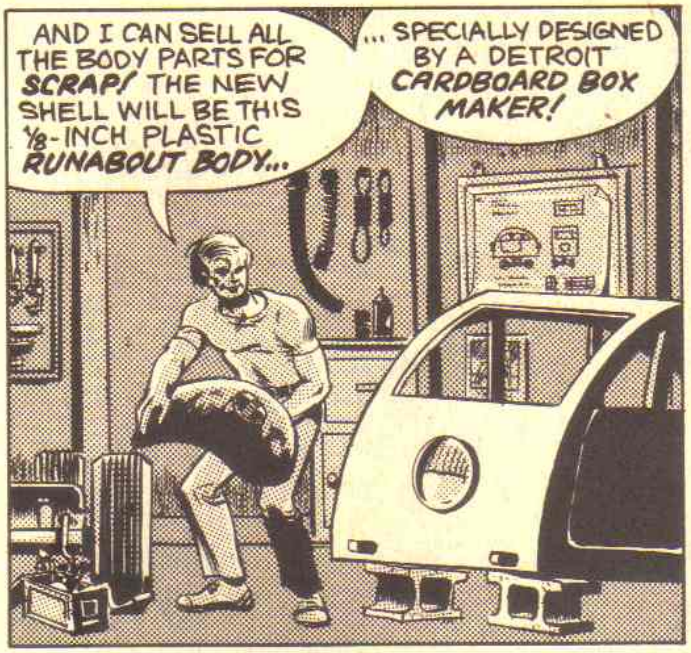


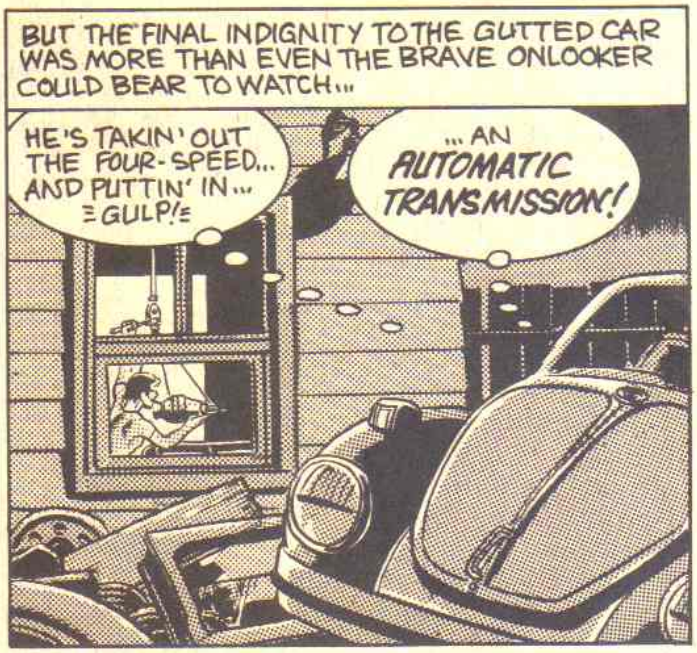

THE HAPPINESS OF PHLATT'S CUSTOMERS WAS NO GREATER THAN THAT OF HIS PARTS CARS... FOR AS EVERYBODY KNOWS, THE FOND WISH OF ***EVERY*** VW IS TO BECOME A BUGGY...

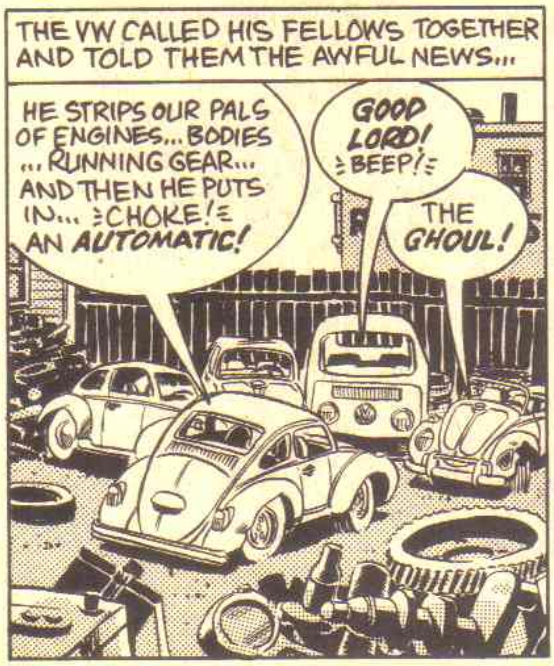
BUT ONE DAY THE DOON BUGGIES STOPPED ROLLING OUT... AND THE VOLKSWAGENS THAT WENT INTO PHLATT'S SHOP WERE NEVER SEEN AGAIN!
I TELL YOU, SOMETHING'S WRONG IN THERE! PHLATT WORKS NIGHT AND DAY, BUT NO BUGGIES COME OUT!
I'M GONNA FIND OUT WHAT IS GOING ON... BEFORE ANY MORE VW'S VANISH!

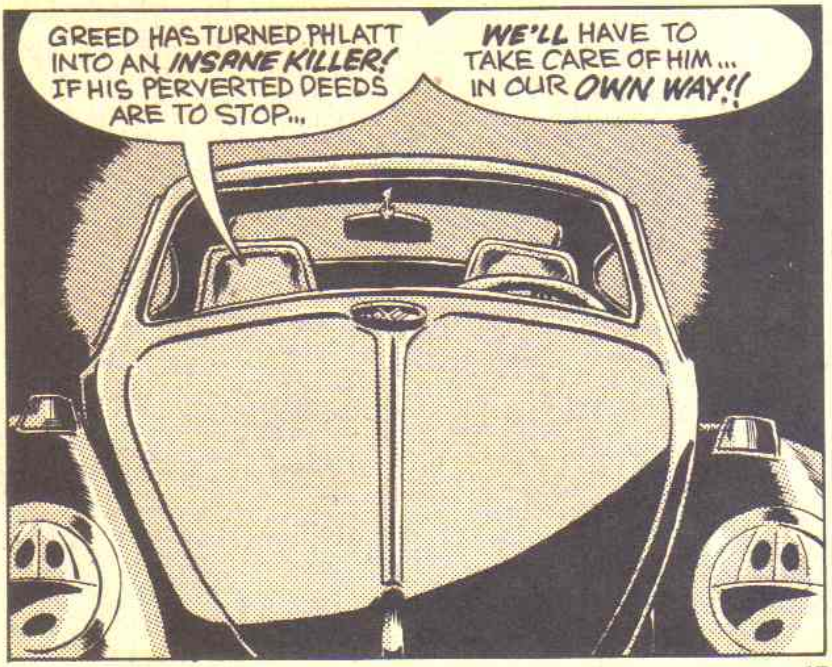
THAT NIGHT THE WORRIED BUG CREPT UP TO THE GARAGE'S REAR WINDOW. THERE HE SAW A SIGHT THAT MADE HIS OIL CURDLE!
HEH HEH! WHY MAKE A FEW BUCKS ON BUGGIES WHEN I CAN MAKE THOUSANDS TURNING THESE MANGY BEETLES...
... INTO ELECTRIC RUNABOUTS!

BEFORE THE VW'S HORRIFIED GAZE, THE CHANGED PHLATT THREW AWAY THE STOCK MILL, REPLACING IT WITH...
A 5-H.P. ELECTRIC MOTOR! JUST WHAT THE LITTLE OLD LADIES IN BURBANK ORDERED!


AND I CAN SELL ALL THE BODY PARTS FOR SCRAP! THE NEW SHELL WILL BE THIS 1/8-INCH PLASTIC RUNABOUT BODY...
... SPECIALLY DESIGNED BY A DETROIT CARDBOARD BOX MAKER!


BUT THE FINAL INDIGNITY TO THE GUTTED CAR WAS MORE THAN EVEN THE BRAVE ONLOOKER COULD BEAR TO WATCH...
HE'S TAKIN' OUT THE FOUR-SPEED... AND PUTTIN' IN... ≡GULP!≡
... AN AUTOMATIC TRANSMISSION!

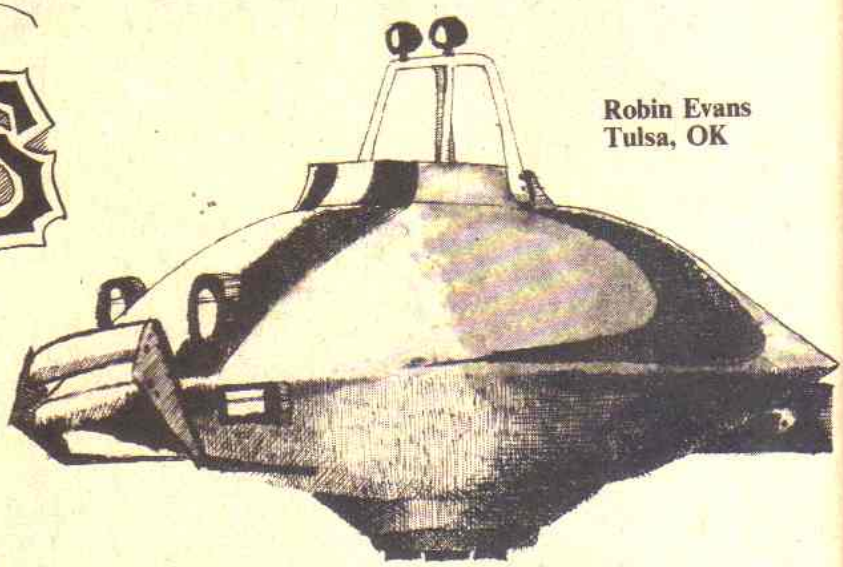

THE VW CALLED HIS FELLOWS TOGETHER AND TOLD THEM THE AWFUL NEWS...
HE STRIPS OUR PALS OF ENGINES... BODIES ... RUNNING GEAR... AND THEN HE PUTS IN... ≡CHOKE!≡ AN AUTOMATIC!
GOOD LORD! ≡BEEP!≡
THE GHOUL!


GREED HAS TURNED PHLATT INTO AN INSANE KILLER! IF HIS PERVERTED DEEDS ARE TO STOP...
WE'LL HAVE TO TAKE CARE OF HIM... IN OUR OWN WAY!!

...AND THAT'S WHY THE THROBBING PACK OF GRIM VOLKSWAGENS IDLES MENACINGLY IN THE SHADOWS... WAITING FOR THE SIGNAL...
NOW!
BEEP! BEEP! BEEP!
WHAT IN BLAZES?!
WHAT'S GOIN' ON OUT THERE?
SOUNDS LIKE THE JUNKERS HAVE GONE CRAZY!
BEEP! BEEP! BEEP!
EEYAAAHH!
NEXT MORNING...
I DON'T KNOW WHY THE BOSS HASN'T OPENED UP YET, MRS. SLUMGULLION... BUT THERE'S YOUR ELECTRIC RUNABOUT!
MR. PHLATT ONLY HAD TO PUT IN THE AUTOMATIC TRANSMISSION... SO IT SHOULD BE READY TO GO!
THANK YOU, YOUNG MAN!
BUT WHEN PHLATT'S ASSISTANT AND THE KINDLY OLD LADY LOOKED INTO THE RUNABOUT, THE SIGHT THAT MET THEIR EYES WAS FAR FROM PRETTY!..
OH, NO!!
>CHOKE!<*
*AN AUTOMATIC CHOKE, OF COURSE!
THERE IN PLACE OF THE AUTOMATIC WAS A BRAND NEW STICK SHIFT... WITH A HUMAN LEG FOR A SHIFT LEVER... TWO FEET FOR THE BRAKE & CLUTCH ...AND A VERY FAMILIAR FACE AS A SHIFT KNOB...
WELL, THAT AUTO SATISFY YOU BLOODTHIRSTY LITTLE DEVILS! PERSONALLY I DON'T CAR FOR GUYS LIKE PHLATT EITHER... HE ALWAYS WAS A SHIFTLESS SORT! WELL, I GOTTA CHEV OFF... SO "FOR'D MARCH," CAR FREAKS, DODGE THE NEXT FEATURE IF YOU CAN!
RON HARRIS 79

THE PROTECTION RACKET!
KEN'S SKATEBOARD PARK
HEY, FREDDY... THAT'S A LOT OF EQUIPMENT YOU'VE GOT THERE!
YEAH... I WANNA BE SAFE AN' WELL-PROTECTED! SKATE-BOARDING KIN BE DANGEROUS!
I'VE GOT ALL THE GEAR I COULD POSSIBLY NEED!
MOMMA!
ZING!
SIMONS
KLOP!
FIRST, MY HELMET...
...THEN, THE ELBOW PADS...
...AND KNEE PADS!
AND I'M READY TO GO!!
ZOOSH!
Y'KNOW, FREDDY, THERE'S ONE GUY WHO'S SAFER THAN YOU...
OH YEAH? WHO?
HIM!
KLAK KLAK KLAK
END!

# MORE OFF-ROAD futures



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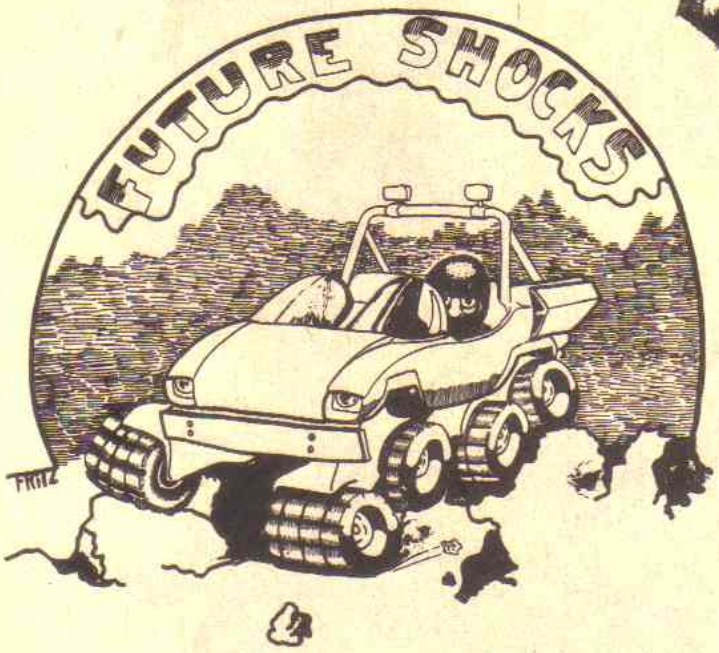


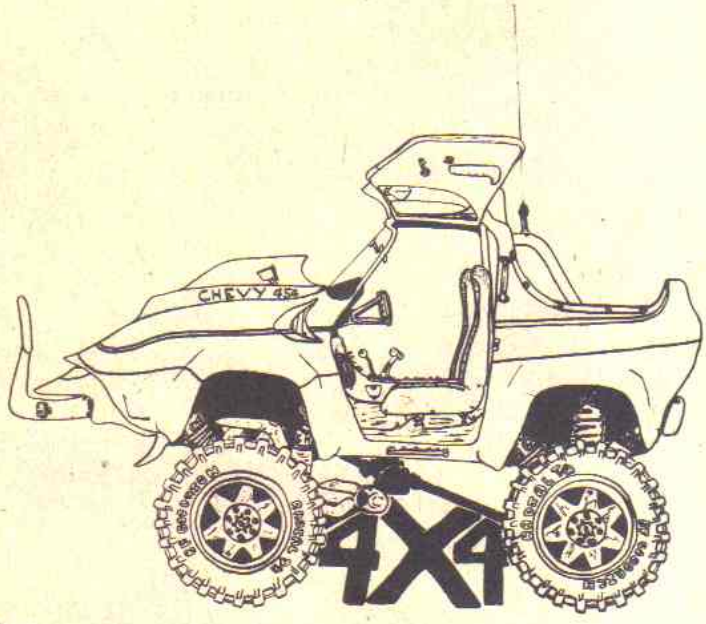


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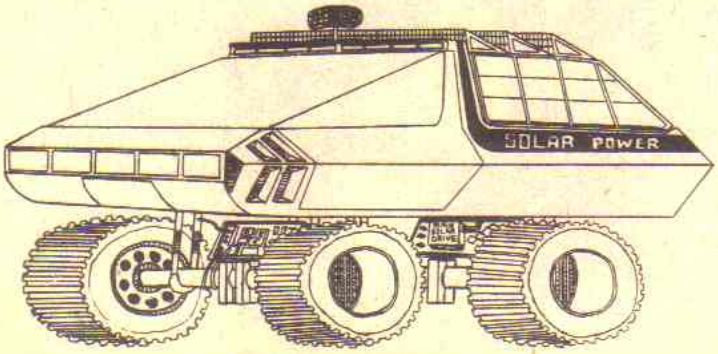


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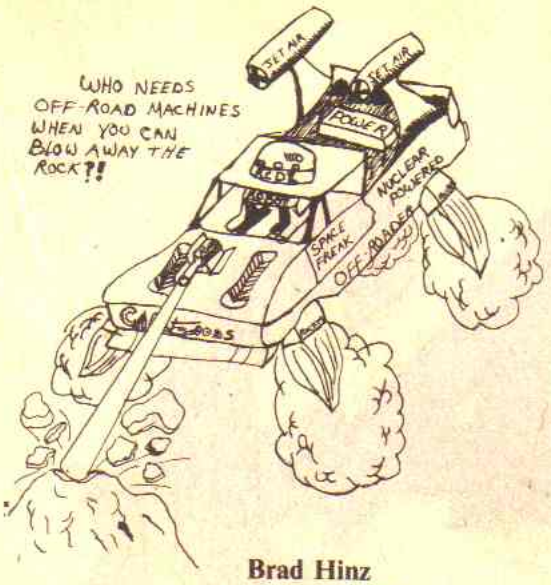


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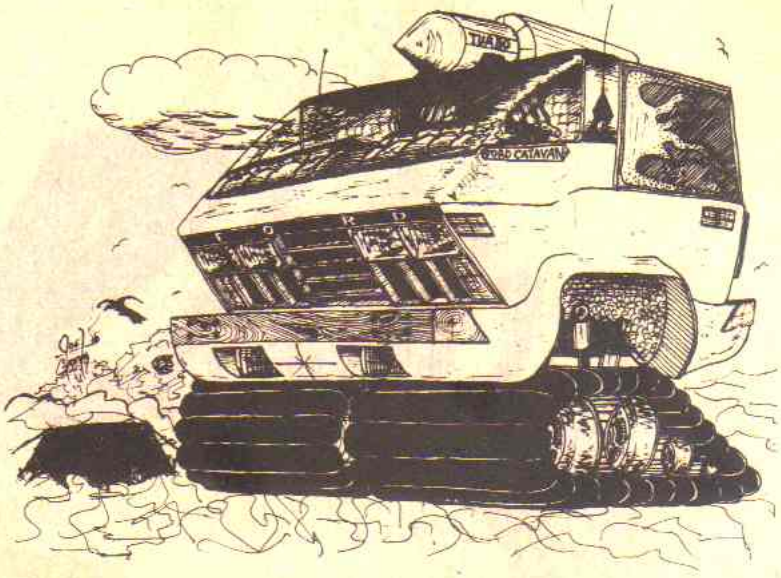


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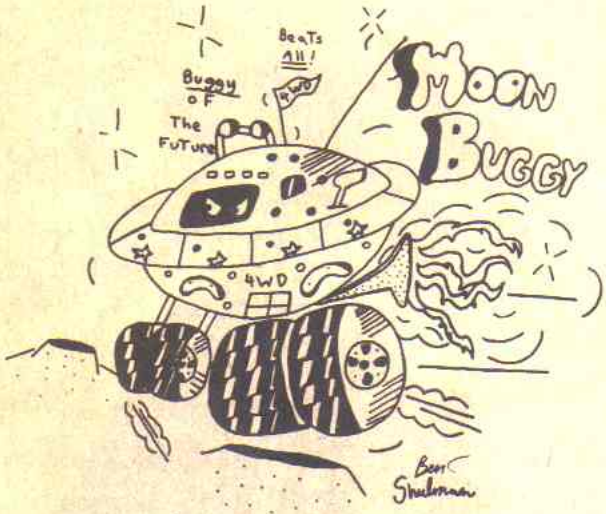


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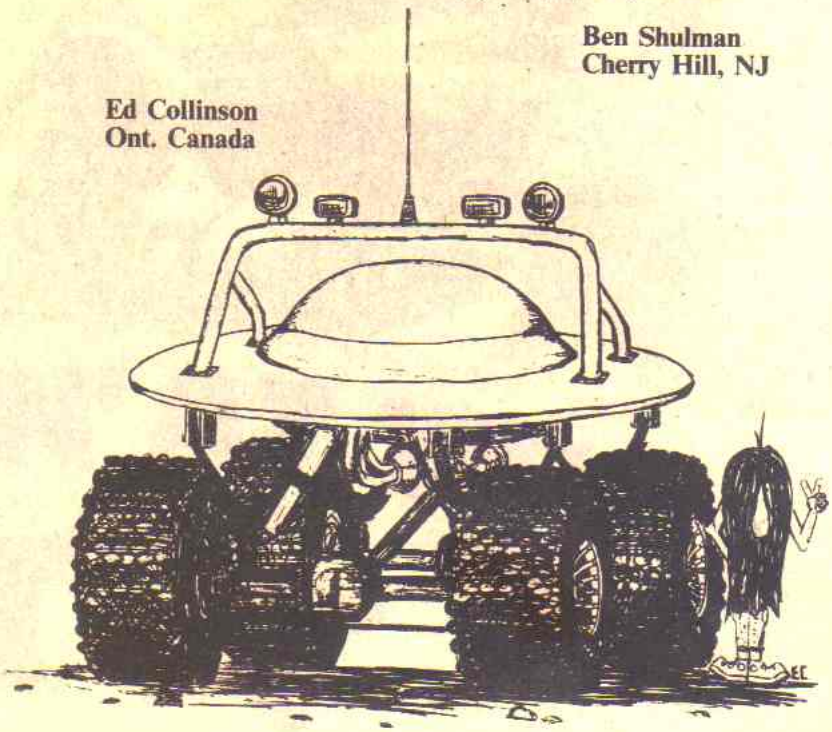

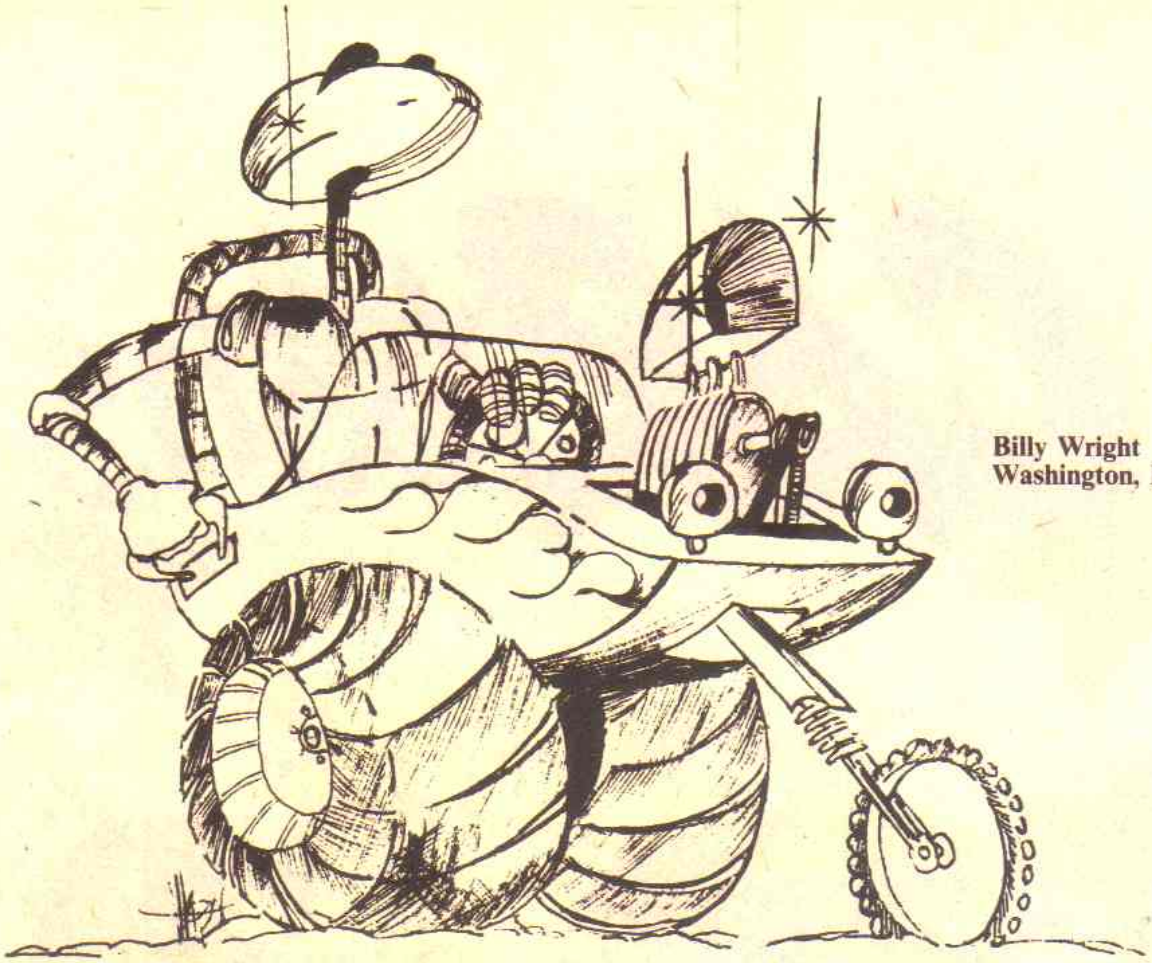

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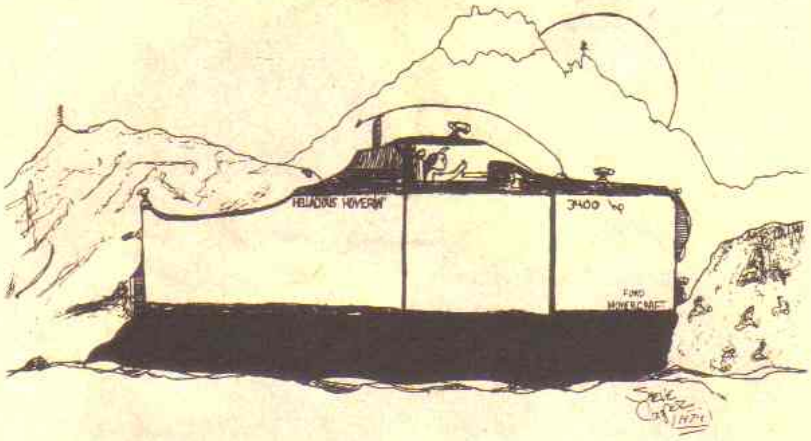


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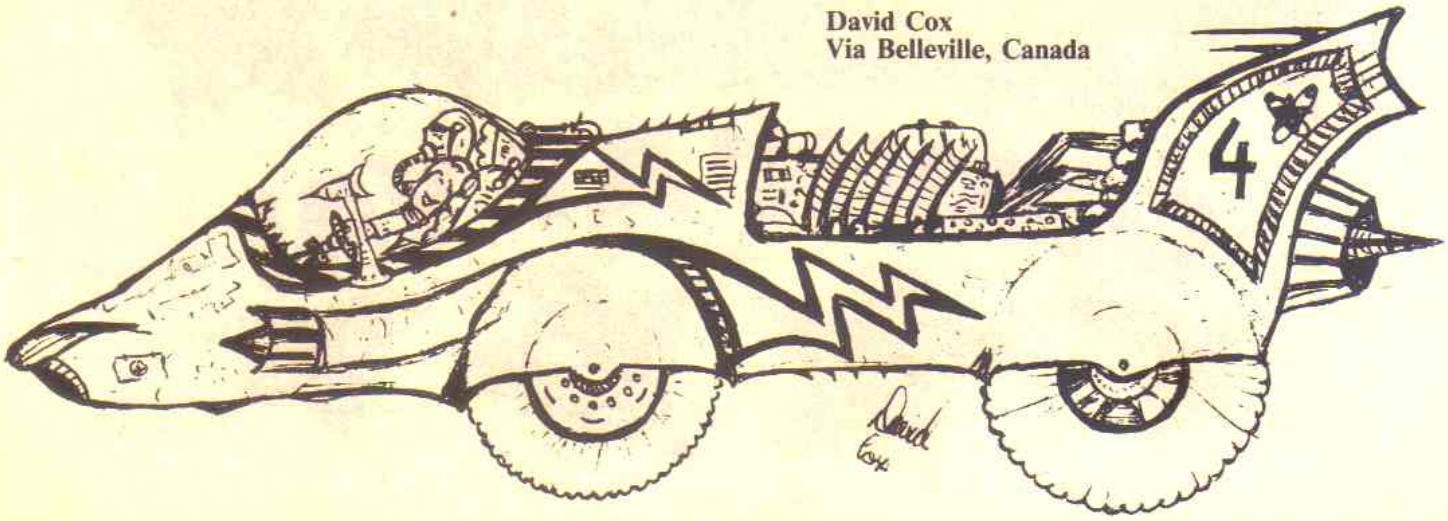

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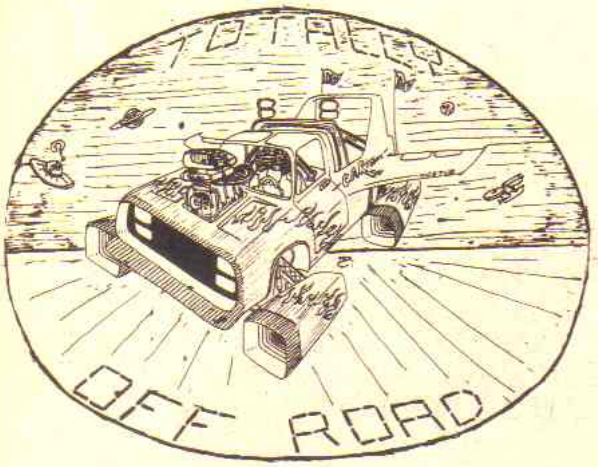


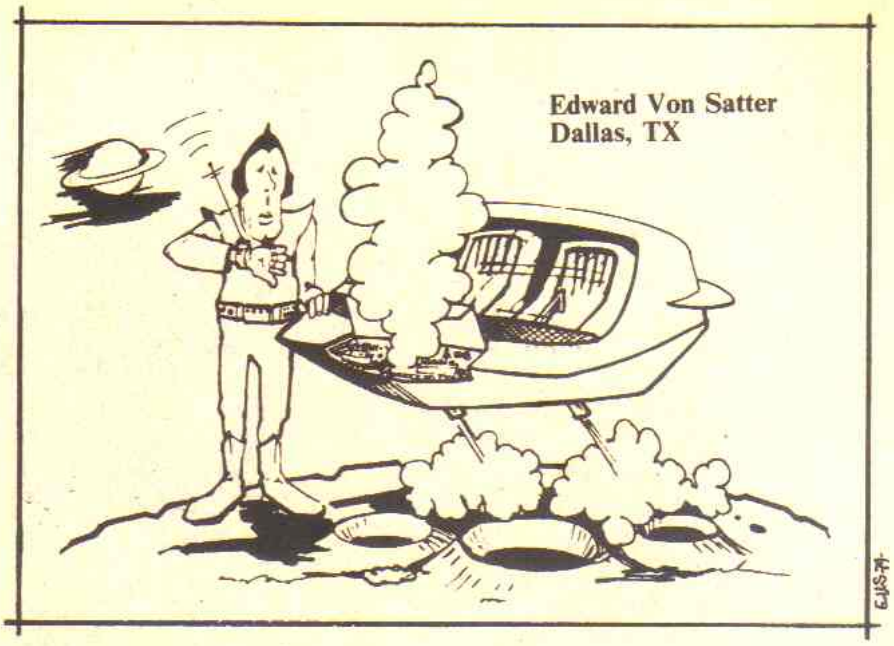

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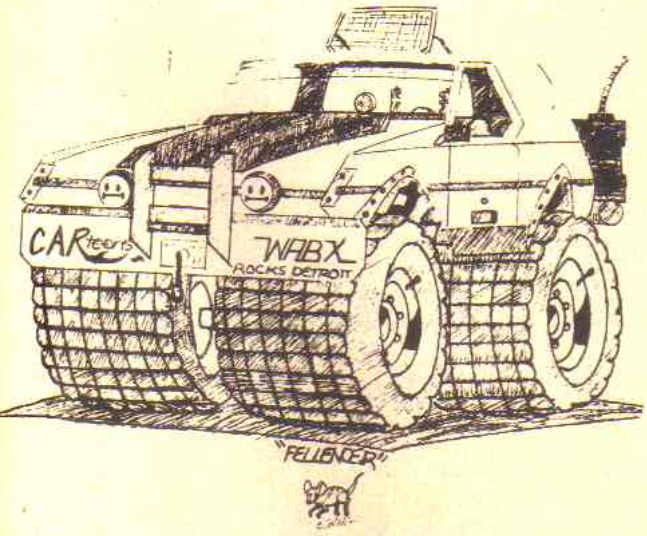


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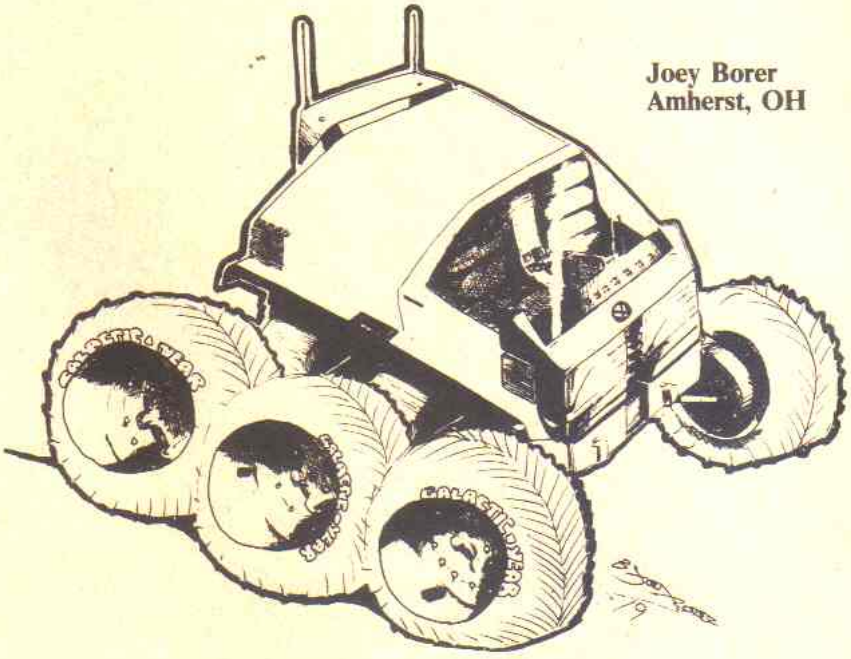

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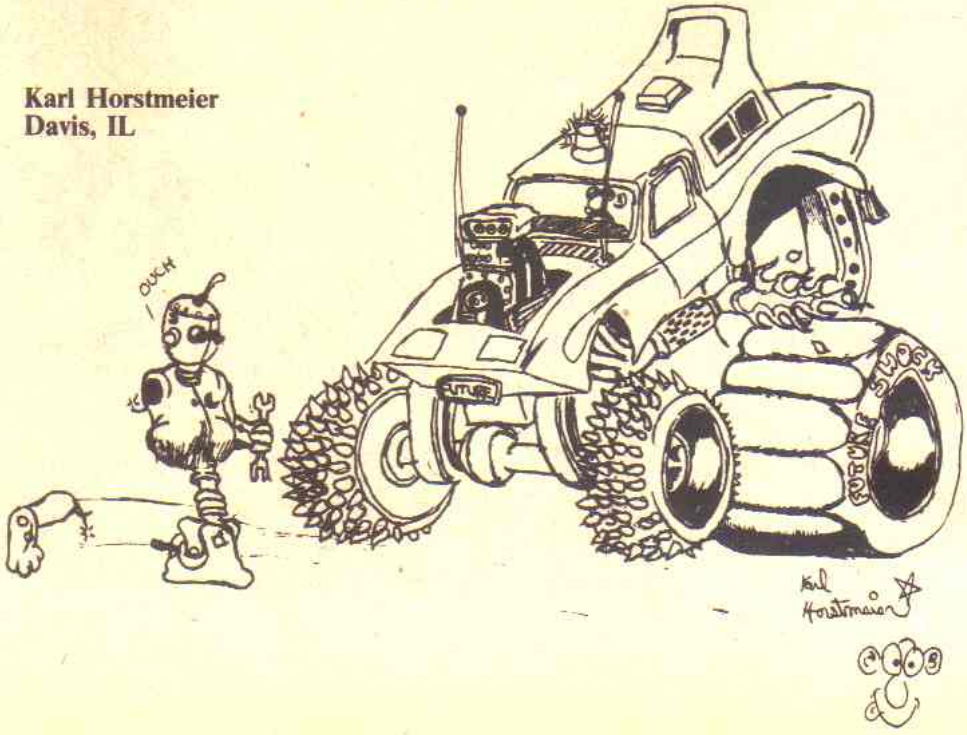

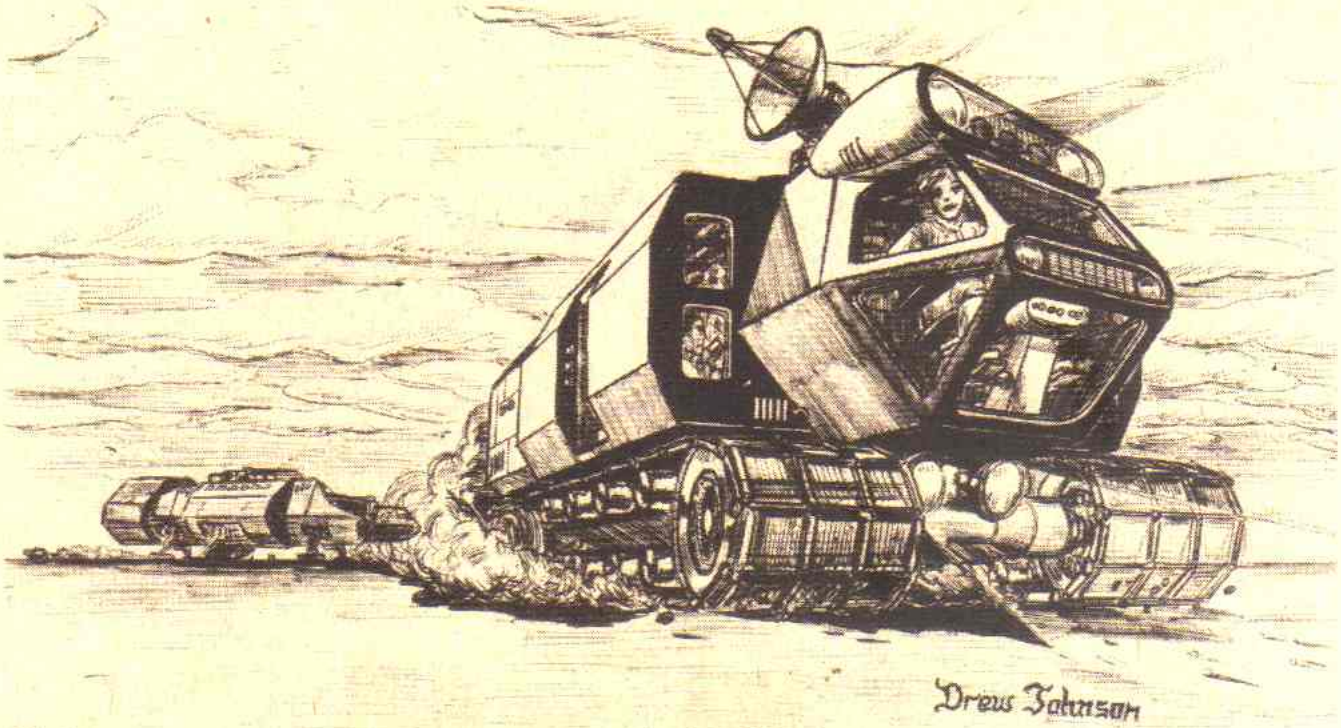


OFF-ROADING WILL TAKE A NEW AND DIVERSE DIRECTION IN THE NEXT CENTURY. OFF-ROADING WILL NOT ONLY SUPPLY ENTERTAINMENT, BUT IT WILL PARENT A VALUABLE SERVICE. IN THE FUTURE, EXPLORATION OF THIS SOLAR SYSTEM'S NINE PLANETS AND MULTIPLE MOONS. WILL INCLUDE SURFACE PROBES. THESE PROBES CAN ONLY BE SUPER ALL-TERRAIN VEHICLES! THESE VEHICLES WILL EQUIP EXPLORERS WITH THE NECESSARY TOOL TO TRAVEL OVER LARGE AREAS OF THE PLANET OR MOON, WHILE SUPPLYING PROTECTION FROM THE HARSH, UNSURVIVABLE ELEMENTS, THE VEHICLES, DROPPED AND RETREIVED BY HEAVY-LIFT SPACECRAFT (VERTICAL LANDING CAPABILITY, OF COURSE), WILL HAVE A RANGE AND SPEED CAPABILITY UNKNOWN AT THE PRESENT TIME!

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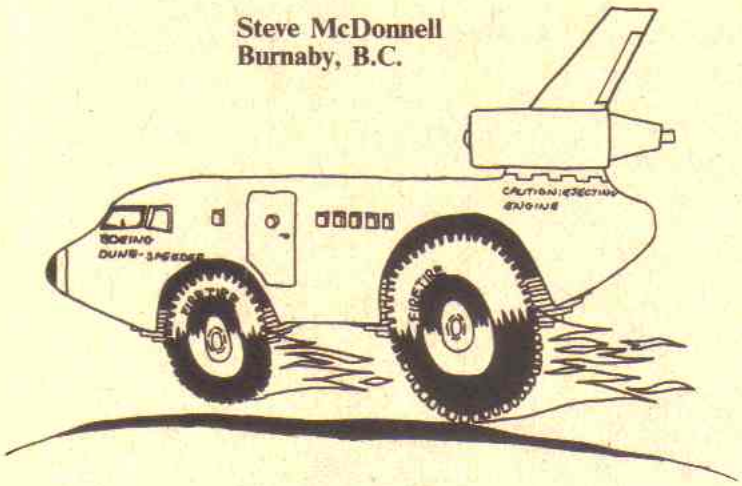


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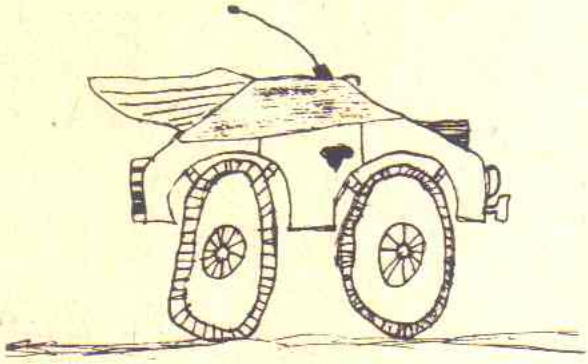

**So that's it for this time. Once again we want to thank all who did the best they could and only wish that all who entered could be winners. If we did that we'd have no pages left for anything else. Once again, we got great response from all of you and will continue to have more contests in forthcoming issues.**

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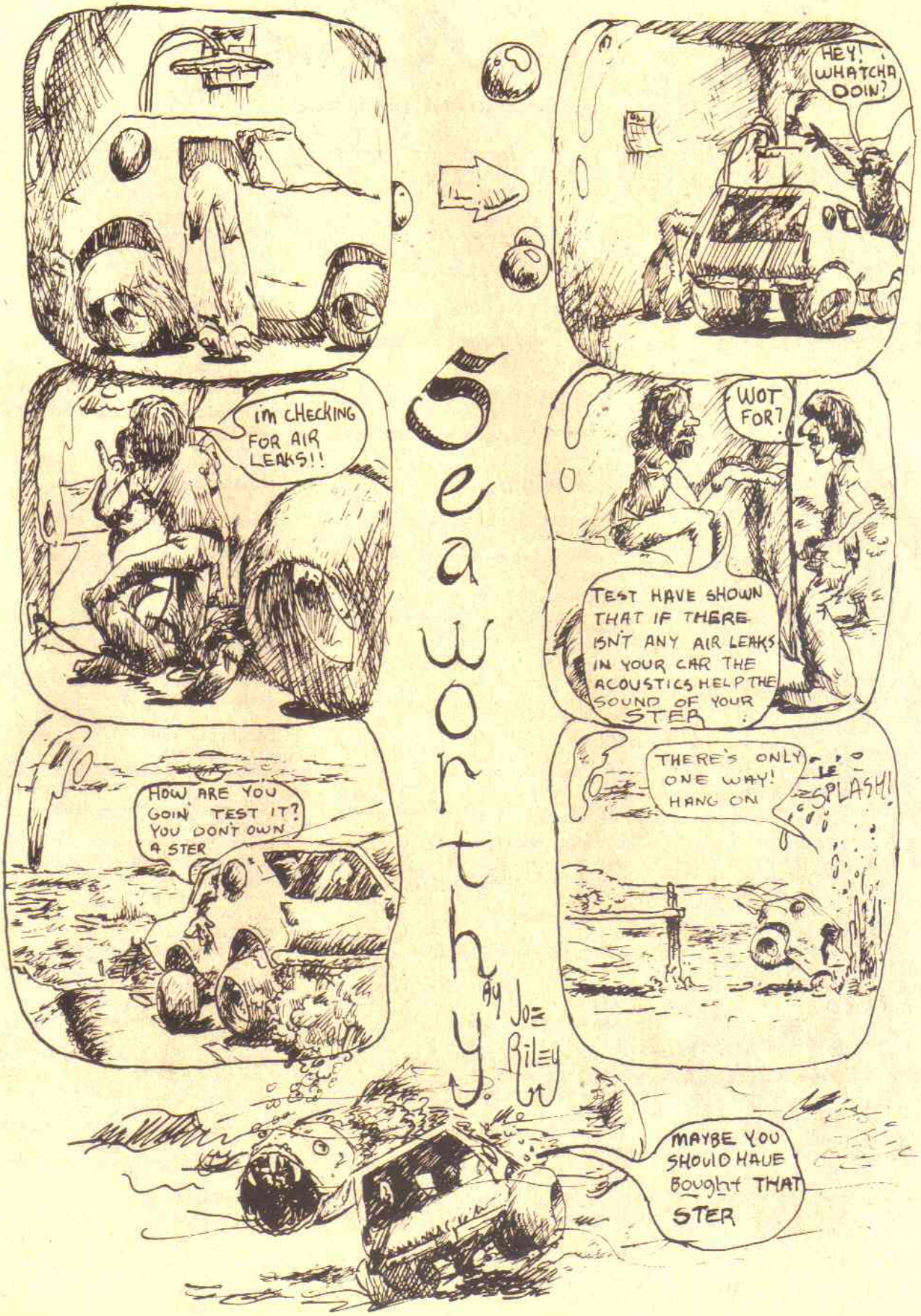


Richard (Shark) Helbock (14)
1635 Mariposa
Las Cruces, New Mexico 88001

Digs: Rock Music, Foxy Blondes, Diving, Rollerskating, Motorcycles
Lookin' For: Foxy Blondes 12-15

Kirby Tiller (18)
985 Travis Drive
Vidor, Texas 77662

Digs: Custom Mini-pickups, Good Music, Sports, Outdoors
Lookin' For: People, especially girls 15+

Doris Fortier (12)
Box 242
Guy, Alberta
Canada T0H 7Y0

Digs: Any kind of car, Dancing, Music, Singing
Lookin' For: A person to write to

Rob Siders (11½)
1810 Shadow Lawn Drive
Champaign, Illinois 61820

Digs: KISS, Good Hard Rock, Girls, Dirt Bikin, Co-co (his dog)
Lookin' For: Good lookin' girls 9½—14½

Chuck Warren (10)
25 South Bolton Avenue
Indianapolis, Indiana 46219

Digs: Corvettes, Soccer, Vans, Models, Snoopy, Woodstock
Lookin' For: People 10-16

Kirk Peterson (16)
Rt. 1, Box 435
Lewisville, Texas 75028

Digs: Ford Rancheros, Dune Buggies, Rock Concerts, Texas Jam
Lookin' For: Car Freaks, Ford Freaks, Girls 15+

Jennifer Stauch (12)
3976 North Verde Vista
Thousand Oaks, California 91360

Digs: Disco Dancing, Trans Ams, Porsches, Fast Cars, Cute Guys
Lookin' For: Cute 12-13 Guys

Janine Lowery (15)
P.O. Box 9
Wadsworth, Nevada 89442

Digs: Vans, Trans Ams, Basketball, Tennis, Movies
Lookin' For: A guy 15 and over

John Spencer (13 7/10)
RR 1, Box 7
Okanagan Falls, British Columbia
Canada V0H 1R0

Digs: Motorcycles, Skiing, Rock 'n' Roll, Foxy Ladies, Good Times
Lookin' For: Sweet, Beautiful Ladies 13 and up

Tony Brister (13)
Box 261
Elmore City, Oklahoma

Digs: Rock 'n' Roll, Cool Chicks, 'Vettes, Pinball, Skateboarding
Lookin' For: Girls 12-13

Bobby Rewniak (16)
P.O. Box 37
Ethelbert, Manitoba
Canada

Digs: Rock Music, Sports, Parties, Girls
Lookin' For: Girls 14-16

Sumi (Dave) Simunek (20)
RR 1
Gregory, South Dakota 57533

Digs: His 'Vette, Parties, Sports, Spending cash, Dirt Bikes
Lookin' For: Pretty Girls 16-22

John P. Bennett (25)
Box A
Thomaston, Maine 04861

Digs: Fast Cars, Race Cars, Trans Ams, Good Music
Lookin' For: Girls 17+

Q. Charles LaRue (16)
RR 6, Box 210 A
Gilmer, Texas 75644

Digs: Art, Trans Ams, Skateboarding, Disco, Girls
Lookin' For: Sophisticated foxes 14-18

Helena Rasmussen (19)
c/o Road Runners
94-226 Teoku Street
Waipano, Hawaii 96797

Digs: Traveling, Learning about different cultures, Trans Ams, Peter Frampton, Bee Gees
Lookin' For: Young people with same interests

Jan Spahr (14)
1815 West 3rd
Sedalia, Missouri 65301

Digs: Parties and Just Plain Having Fun

Fred Overton (12)
2800 Fluer, #1-314
Des Moines, Iowa 50321

Digs: BMX, Skateboards, Movies, Parties, Girls
Lookin' For: Girls 11-14

Richard Allen Jr. (16)
P.O. Box 157
Lewisburg, Pennsylvania 17847

Digs: Pool, Pinball, Vans, Music
Lookin' For: Girls 13-16

Joe Kelly (15)
823 East Balena Blue
Aurora, Illinois 60505

Digs: Dirt Bikes, Vans, Music, Parties
Lookin' For: Girls 14+

Debbie McClain
717 Peake Street
Abilene, Texas 79603

Digs: Mustangs, Music, Outdoors, People, Romantic Guys
Lookin' For: Air Force Airmen needin' someone to communicate with . . . and anyone else

Lee DeWitt (15)
586 Alles Drive
Byron Center, Michigan 49315

Digs: Swimming, Movies, TV, Fishing, all kinds of Music
Lookin' For: Girls to write to, 13-15

Sheryl Baker (14)
Rt. 1, Box 665
Sharon, Oklahoma 73857

Digs: Rock, Dances, Night Parties, Pickups
Lookin' For: Cute and Sexy Guys 14-15

Doni Wixom (13)
Rt. 3, Box 39B-2
Blackfoot, Idaho 83221

Digs: Sports, Drawing, Animals, Rock 'n' Roll, '57 Chevys
Lookin' For: Girls or Guys

Randy Davis
Box 254, RR 1
Mapleton, Minnesota 56065

Digs: Motorcycles, Trans Ams, Z-28's, Stock Cars, Racing
Lookin' For: Girls 14-19

Ronny Proia (13)
1270 Waterloo Court
Concord, California 94518

Digs: 'Vettes, Low Riders, Monte Carlos, Waterskiing, Disco
Lookin' For: Foxy Girls 12-14

Mario Molina (16)
824 East Galena Blvd.
Aurora, Illinois 60505

Digs: Chevelles, Rollerskating, Skateboarding, Dirt Bikes, Parties
Lookin' For: Girls 15+

Dan Nikitinski (23)
P.O. Box 891
Winnepeg, Manitoba
Canada R3C 2S7

Digs: Trans Ams, Porsches, Music, Sports, Women
Lookin' For: Girls 18-27

Cindy Shoutz (16)
Box 413
Delano, Minnesota 55328

Digs: Bowling, Rollerskating, Waterskiing, Sport Cars, Dancing
Lookin' For: Guys 15-18

Shirley Rexford (24)
141-11th Street NW
Portage La Prairie, Manitoba
Canada

Digs: All fast cars and Men
Lookin' For: Men 18-24

Hollis Schuh (15)
RR 1, Box 57-B
North Salem, Indiana 46165

Digs: Partying, Farming, 4 Wheel Drives, Slow Dancing, Girls
Lookin' For: Girls 14-16

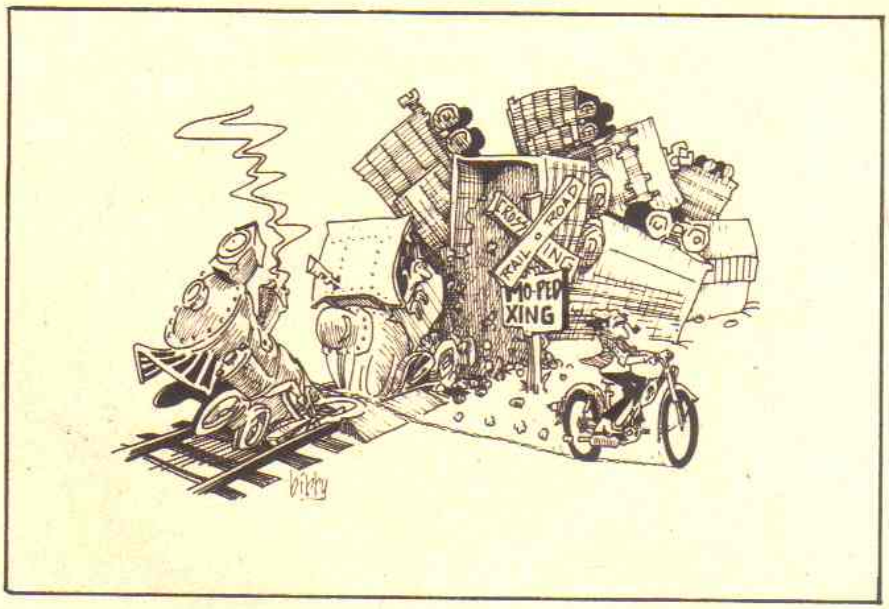
La Rue Nider (13½)
10461 Pago Pago Circle
Huntington Beach, California 92646

Digs: Vans, Cute Guys, Skateboards, Hard and some soft Rock, and Punk
Lookin' For: Total Foxy Guys 13-15

Diane Tengelitsch (13)
Rt. 3, Box 296
10694 Lucas Road
Three Rivers, Michigan 49093

Digs: Fast Cars, Parties, Sports, Swimming
Lookin' For: Foxy guys 12-15

Paul McGarva (13)
6384 South Summers Circle




Douglasville, Georgia 30135

Digs: Corvettes, Trans Ams, Softball, Drums, Swimming
Lookin' For: Anybody that knows how to write

Mark Lunsford (16)
RR 3
Osgood, Indiana 47037

Digs: Fishing, Hunting, Good Music, The Great Outdoors
Lookin' For: Gals 15-18

Tom DeSmidt (14)
733 Maud Avenue
San Leandro, California 94577

Digs: Stereos, Cars, Rock 'n' Roll, Girls, '69 Z-28's
Lookin' For: Girls 13-15

Jayne "Blondie" Petranek
121-14th Avenue South
Lewistown, Montana 59457

Digs: The Country, Nature, 4 Wheelin', Kids, Writing
Lookin' For: Someone 18-22 (tall males)

Steve Parizek (23)
3529 Linda Lane
Lake Charles, Louisiana 70605

Digs: Custom 'Vettes, Good Music, Horseback Riding, Training Dogs
Lookin' For: Young women all ages

Denise Thomas (15)
P.O. Box 5
Wadsworth, Nevada 89442

Digs: 'Vettes, '57 Chevys, Basketball, Horses, Writing to People
Lookin' For: Any guys over 14

Tracy Fullmer (15)
4250 Arthur Road
Martinez, California 94553

Digs: Girls, Trans Ams, Movies, Having Fun, Riding Bikes and Cycles
Lookin' For: Pretty girls 13-16

Don Gairdner (14½)
Box 193
Vanderhoof, British Columbia
Canada VOJ 3AO

Digs: KISS, Boston, Prism, Foxy Chicks (yeah!)
Lookin' for: Girls 13-15 to correspond with

Kim Manley (10)
1108 Grant
Loveland, Colorado 80537

Digs: Rock and Roll, Skateboarding, Movies, Parties, Concerts
Lookin' For: Foxy Boys 11-12

Paula Allen (13)
1108 Grant
Loveland, Colorado 80537

Digs: Boys, Rock and Roll, Sports, Parties, Dancing
Lookin' for: Foxy Boys Any Age

Jesse Solberg (14)
P.O. Box 42
Belfield, North Dakota 58622

Digs: Fast cars, Datsun 280ZX's, Motorcycles, Hard and Soft Rock, Basketball
Lookin' For: Girls 13-15

Rocky Solberg (17)
1st Ave. N.W., Box 42
Belfields, North Dakota 58622

Digs: All Sports, Motorcycles, Parties, Girls, Hot Cars
Lookin' for: Girls 14-17

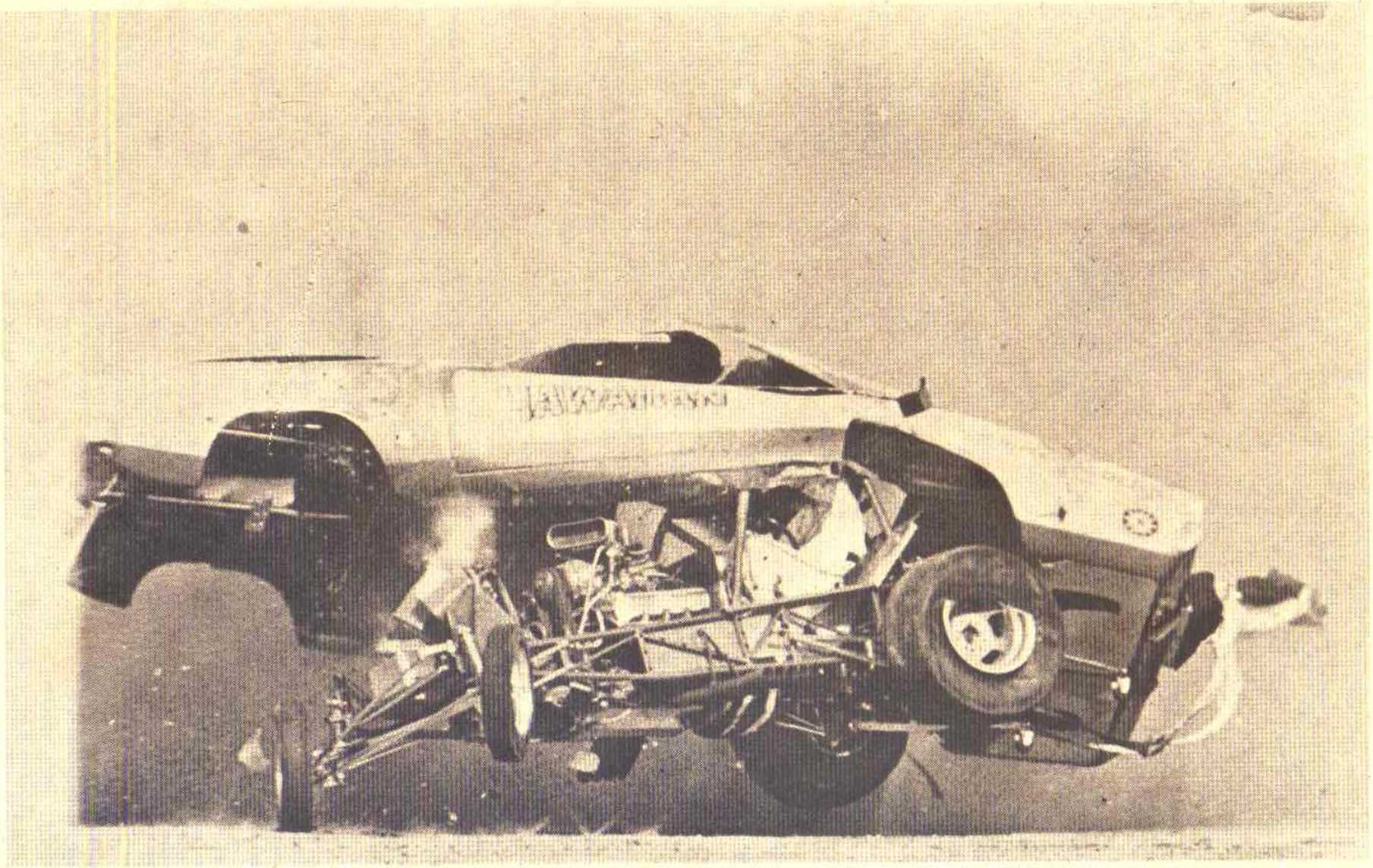
Steve Hassenflatz (21 + 3)
Havillah Rt.
Tonasket, Washington 98855

Digs: Own Ford 4 x 4, Dirt Biking, Softball, Skiing, Comfortable & Pleasant Times
Lookin' for: Gals

Michael Adcock (18)
10507 Sagevale Lane
Houston, Texas 77089

Digs: Cycles, Rock-n-Roll, Hot Cars, Partying
Lookin' for: Girls 16-19

**Here's a simple request. Can you think up a funny caption for the photo below? If you can, send it to us and if we find it funny, we'll run it in a forthcoming issue. No need to tear out the page, just write your caption on a piece of paper and send it to: Car Flip Photo Contest/CARtoons Magazine, 8490 Sunset Blvd., Los Angeles, CA 90069. The winners will receive a check for $10.00.**



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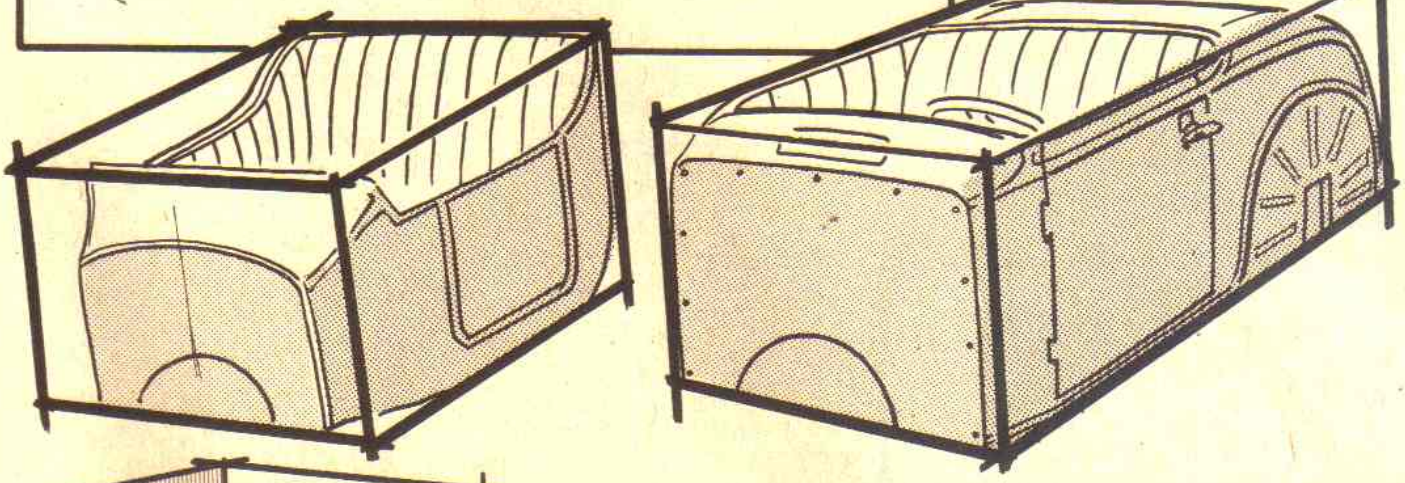
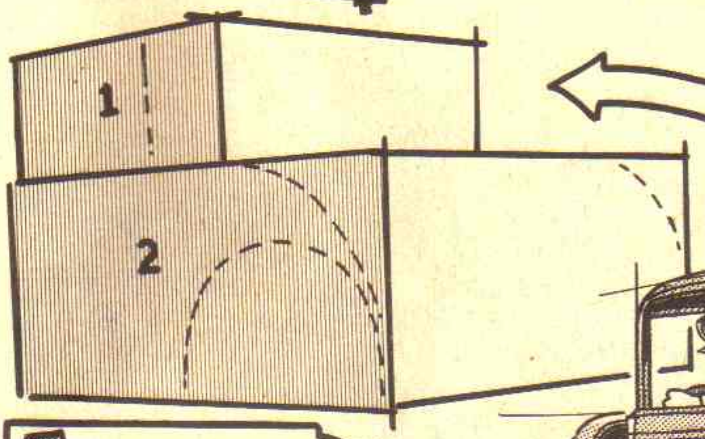
# HOW TO DRAW OLD CAR BODIES

Crosley

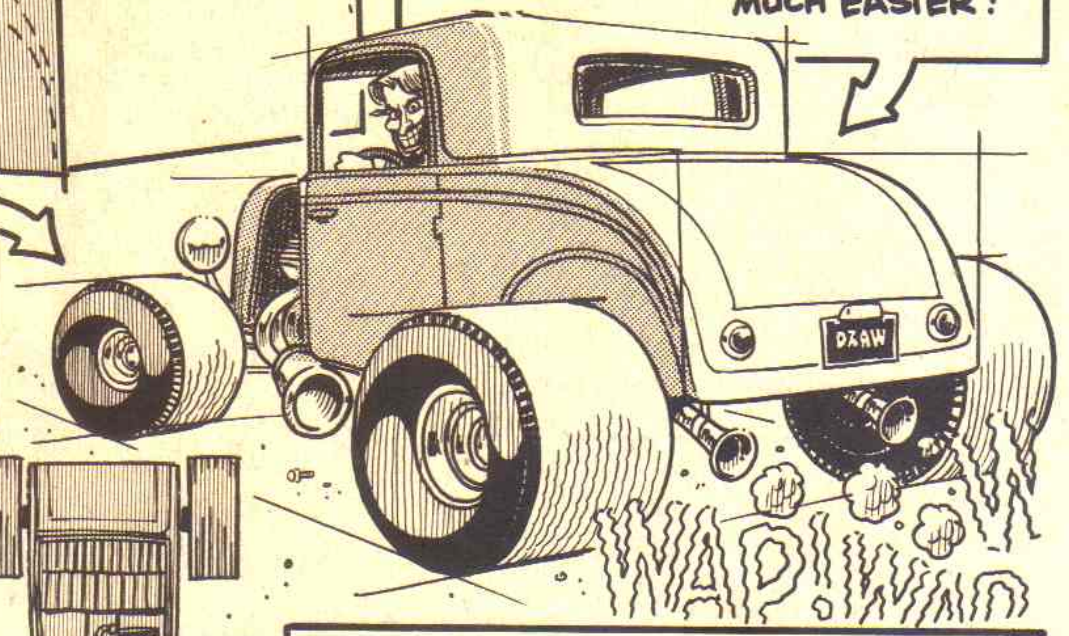
FIRST OF ALL... EARLY CAR BODIES ARE VERY BOXY, MAKING THEM EASY TO DRAW. STUDY PHOTOS OR THE REAL THING FOR THE PROPER PROPORTIONS.

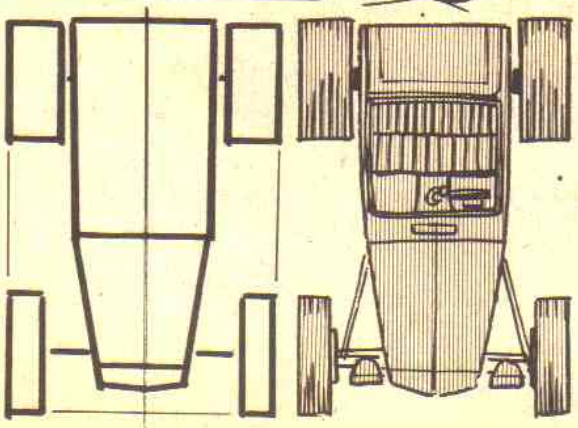




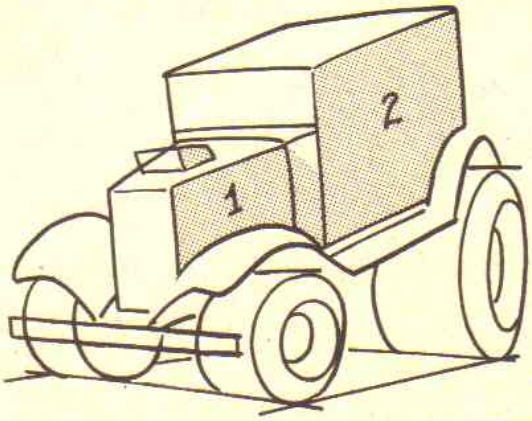

COUPES ARE JUST ROADSTERS WITH A **BOX** ON TOP... BLOCK IT IN CORRECTLY RIGHT FROM THE START AND YOU'LL MAKE ADDING DETAILS **MUCH EASIER!**

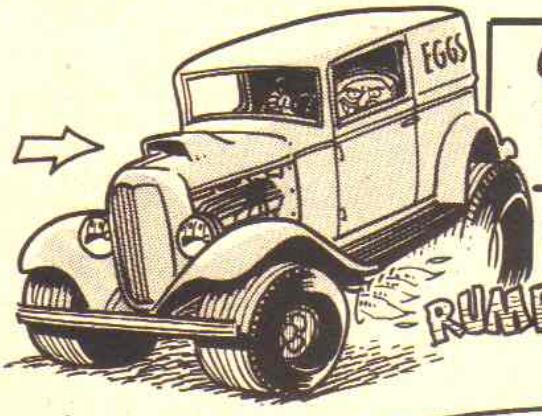
TIRE PLACEMENT IS IMPORTANT. GET THE PROPORTIONS AN' PERSPECTIVE THROUGH THE USE OF **GUIDE LINES.**



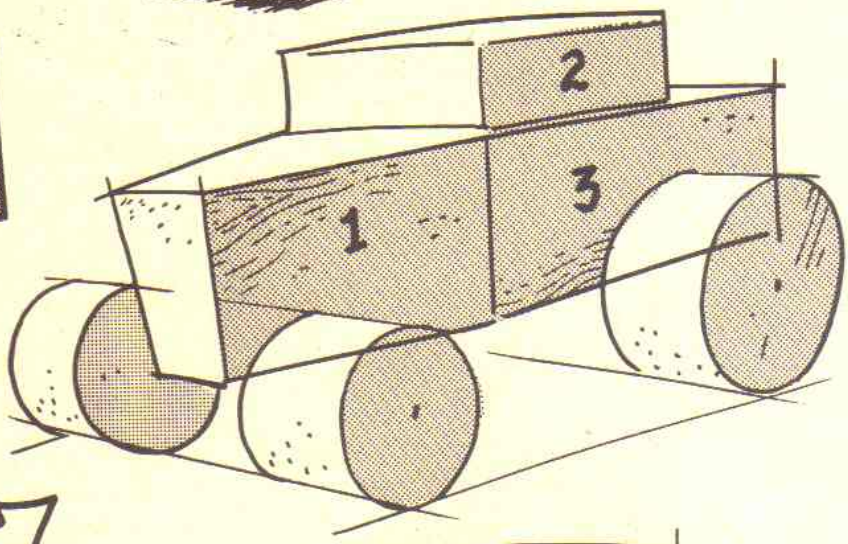
UNDERSTANDING THE **SHAPE** OF WHAT YOU'RE TRYING TO DRAW HELPS **IMMENSELY.** NOTICE THE WAY EARLY CARS BEGIN TO **TAPER** AT THE COWL FOR THE ENGINE COMPARTMENT.



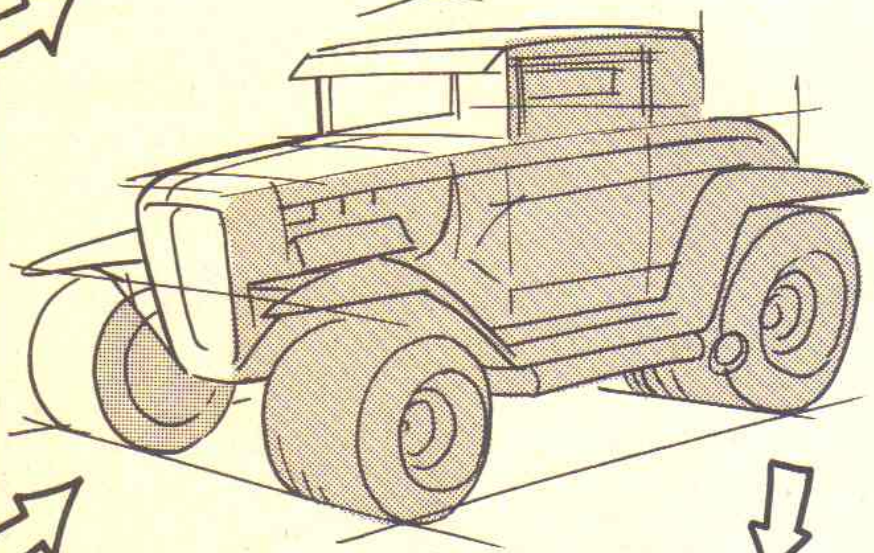




COUPES ARE ALOT LIKE SEDANS AND PANEL TRUCKS.

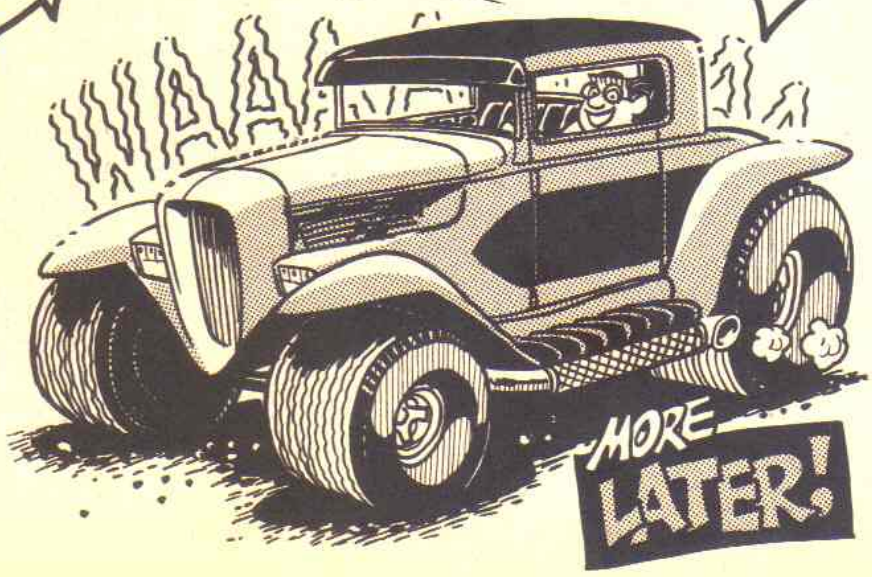
# DRAWING KRASS' COUPE




START THE COUPE BY BLOCKING IT IN WITH THREE BASIC BOXES... **ONE**, **TWO** AND **THREE** – AND THE WHEELS. TRY TO THINK IN TERMS OF BLOCKS OF WOOD SO THINGS HAVE VOLUME AND DIMENSION.



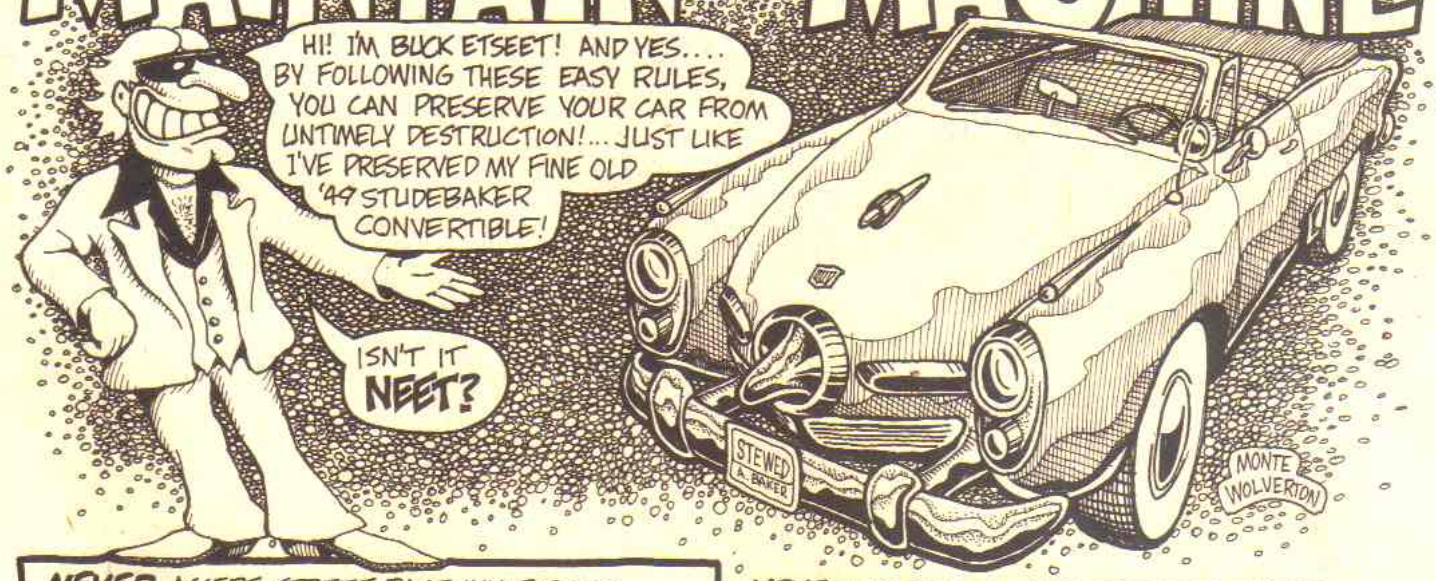
ADD FENDERS AND ACCESSORIES, CONCENTRATING ON GETTING THE **PROPORTIONS** CORRECT. OPEN UP THE GRILLE AND INTERIOR CAVITIES USING **GUIDE LINES** FROM ONE SIDE TO THE OTHER.




IF YOU'VE GOTTEN THE **BLOCKING** RIGHT, THIS LAST STEP WILL BE AN **EASY** ONE. ROUND THE HARD EDGES... ADD BLACKS TO THE BODY AN' TIRES WITH A FEW HIGH-LIGHTS AND YA GOT IT! AN' HEY... ***BE NEAT!***

THERE ARE **FORCES** IN THIS WORLD THAT, IF LEFT UNCHECKED, WOULD TOTALLY **DEMOLISH** YOUR **AUTOMOBILE** WITHIN **FIVE MINUTES** AFTER IT LEFT THE DEALER! BUT NOT TO WORRY, BECAUSE FAMED AUTO EXPERT, **DR. BUCK ETSEET**, TELLS YOU RIGHT HERE ON THESE TWO PAGES HOW YOU CAN **KEEP YOUR CAR FROM BECOMING CRUNCHED, CONSERVE YOUR CONVEYANCE, GIVE LONGEVITY TO YOUR LIMO,** AND GENERALLY.....

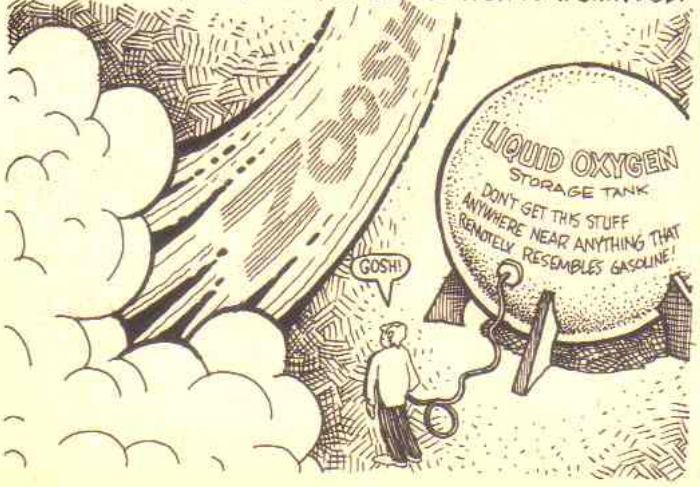
# MAINTAIN YER MACHINE




**NEVER** ACCEPT STREET-RACE INVITATIONS FROM PERSONS DRIVING ARMORED VEHICLES EQUIPPED WITH FLAME THROWERS.

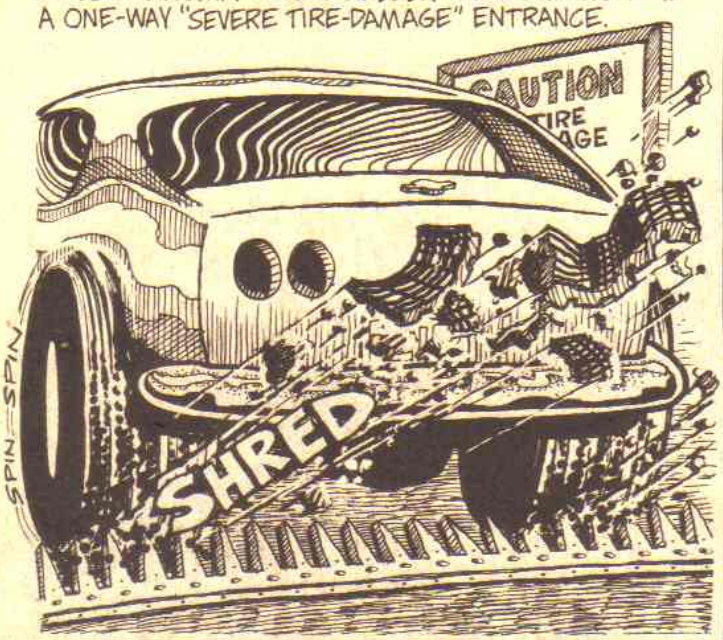
**NEVER** PATRONIZE GAS STATIONS WHERE THE GAS PUMPS APPEAR TO BE DRAWING DIRECTLY OUT OF A CRUDE OIL WELL.

**NEVER** PUT LIQUID OXYGEN IN THE FUEL TANK, AS IT WILL PRODUCE UNPLEASANTLY HIGH PERFORMANCE.

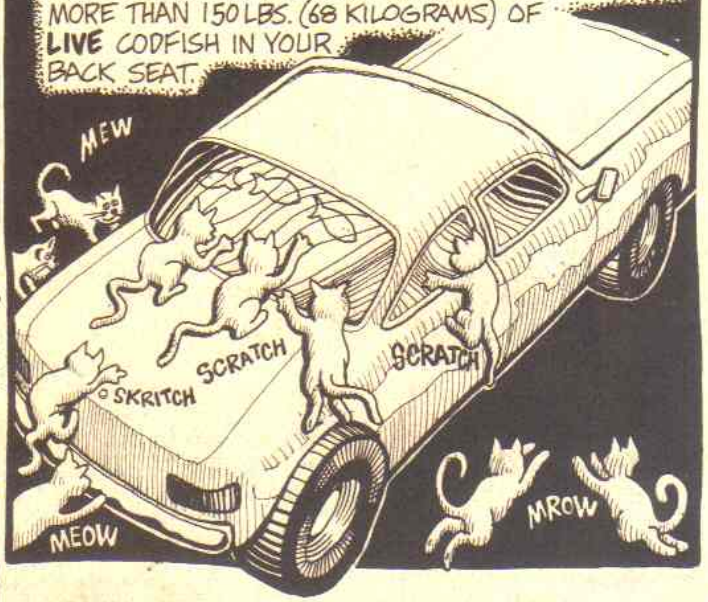



**NEVER** DRIVE THRU CHICAGO IN THE WINTER.

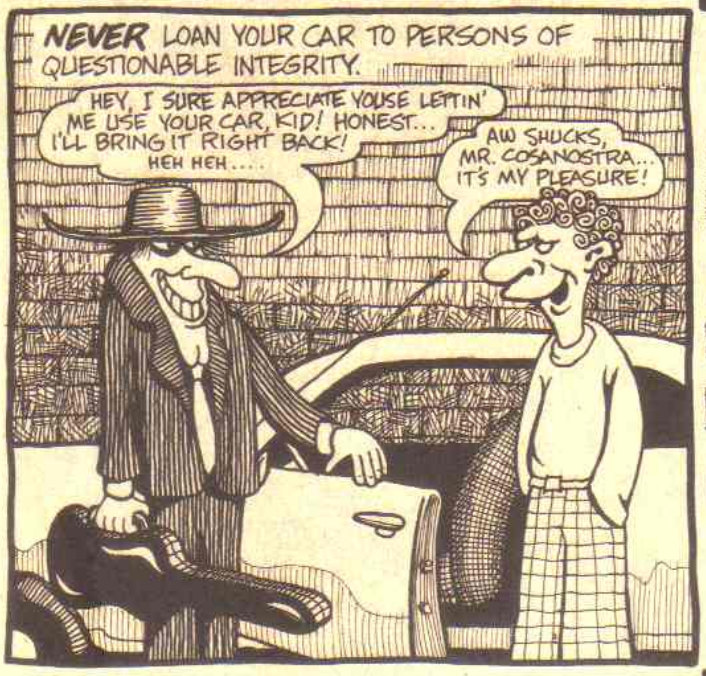
**NEVER** ATTEMPT TO LAY RUBBER WHILE DRIVING THRU A ONE-WAY "SEVERE TIRE-DAMAGE" ENTRANCE.




**NEVER** CARRY MORE THAN 150 LBS. (68 KILOGRAMS) OF DEAD CODFISH AT ONE TIME IN YOUR BACK SEAT. ON THE OTHER HAND, NEVER CARRY MORE THAN 150 LBS. (68 KILOGRAMS) OF **LIVE** CODFISH IN YOUR BACK SEAT.

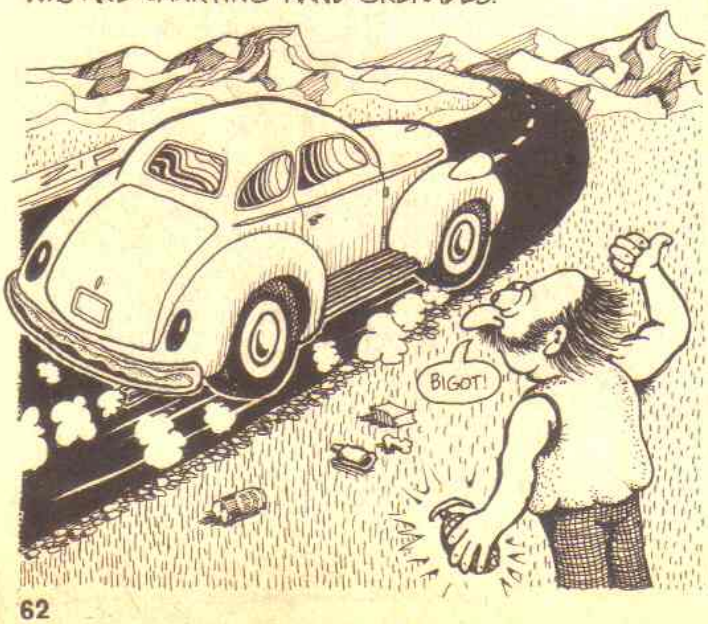



**NEVER** LOAN YOUR CAR TO PERSONS OF QUESTIONABLE INTEGRITY.

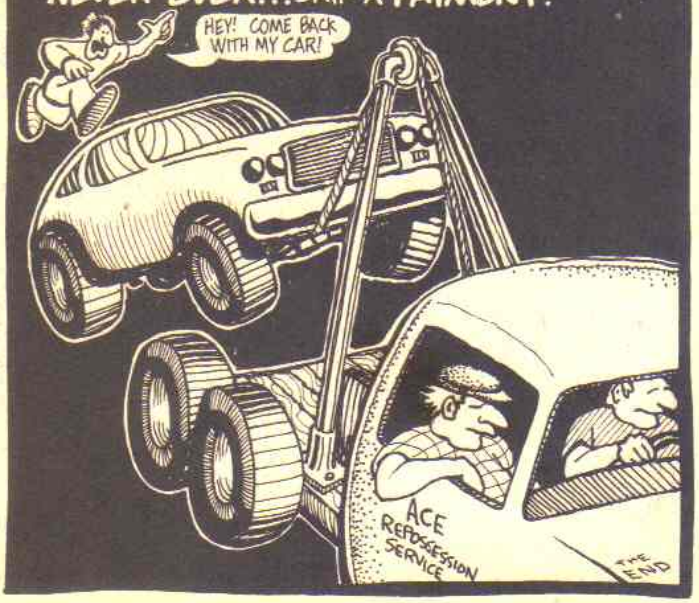



**NEVER** FOLLOW EARTHMOVING EQUIPMENT CLOSER THAN TEN FEET.

**NEVER** GIVE RIDES TO WILD-EYED RADICALS WHO ARE CARRYING HAND GRENADES.

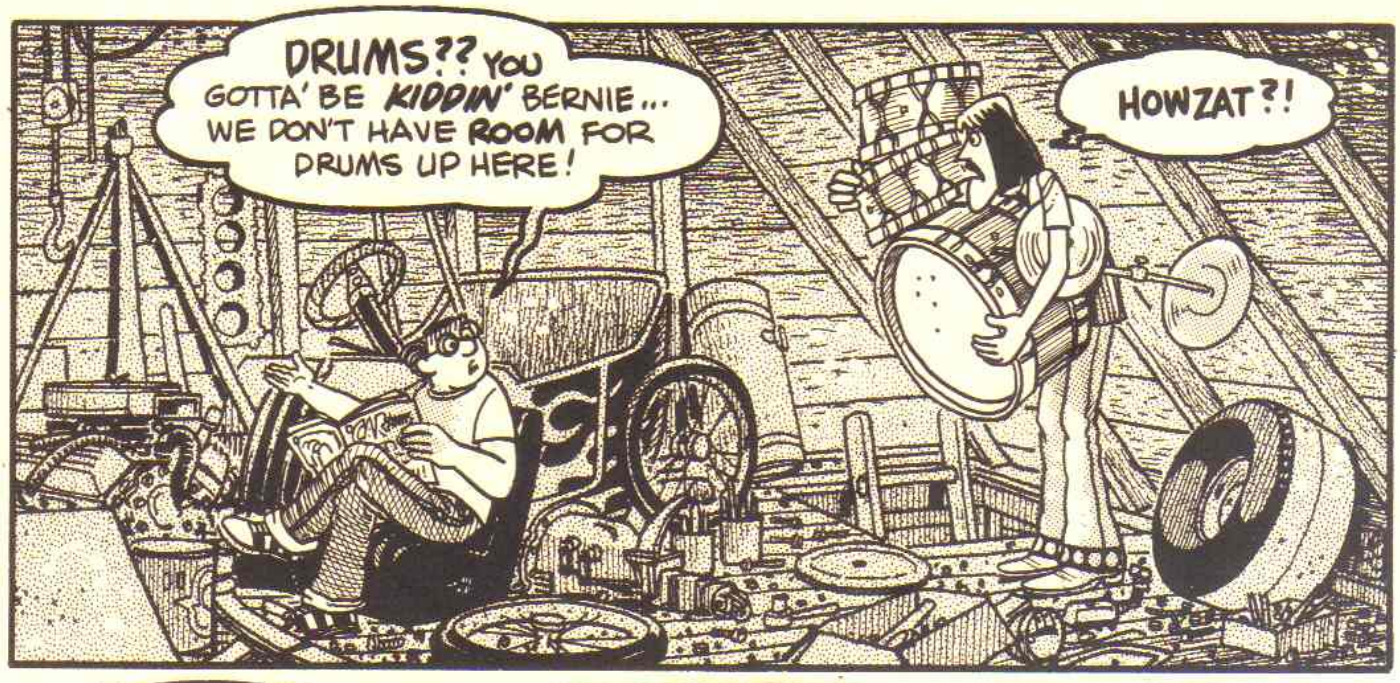



BUT... MOST IMPORTANT OF ALL... **NEVER**.... **NEVER EVER**... SKIP A **PAYMENT!**



# KRASS & BERNIE

BY trosley.


DRUMS?? YOU GOTTA' BE KIDDIN' BERNIE... WE DON'T HAVE ROOM FOR DRUMS UP HERE!
HOWZAT?!

WHY DON'T 'CHA GO SET 'EM UP IN THE GARAGE...
THE GARAGE?!

NO WAY! NO WAY! THIS IS WHERE I LIVE AND THIS IS WHERE I WILL SET UP MY DRUMS!
WHAT ABOUT MY TEE PARTS?

YOU'VE GOT ENOUGH TEE PARTS UP HERE TO BUILD A WHOLE CAR!! CARS GO IN GARAGES! I WANT THIS JUNK OUT OF HERE BY TONIGHT!
BUT HOW?

I DON'T CARE IF YOU DRIVE IT OUT BUT MOVE IT!!
I'LL DO THE BEST I CAN...

GEE... I GUESS I HAVE ACQUIRED ALOT OF PARTS FOR THAT FAD TEE I WAS THINKIN' OF PUTTING TOGETHER... IT WAS GONNA' BE SMOOTH TOO...
THIS ENGINE WAS GONNA SLIP RIGHT INTO THIS BEEFED UP TEE FRAME...
CRANK!
THEN I WOULD'VE BOLTED THAT UP TO THIS WORKED REAR WITH JAG SUSPENSION AND TWO FAT STREET SLICKS!
AND BEFORE TOO LONG...
...HOW 'BOUT 'DAT- BERN WAS RIGHT... I DID HAVE A WHOLE CAR UP HERE!
WONDER IF IT'LL START?!
ERRRR...
VAROOM
SCATTERED ABOUT, KRASS' PARTS DIDN'T POSE ANY THREAT TO THE GARAGE'S WEAK ATTIC FLOOR... BUT BOLTED ALL TOGETHER IN ONE SPOT AND VIBRATING...
VAROOM
VAROOM
TICK
CREAK!
CRACK!
CRACK!
CREAK
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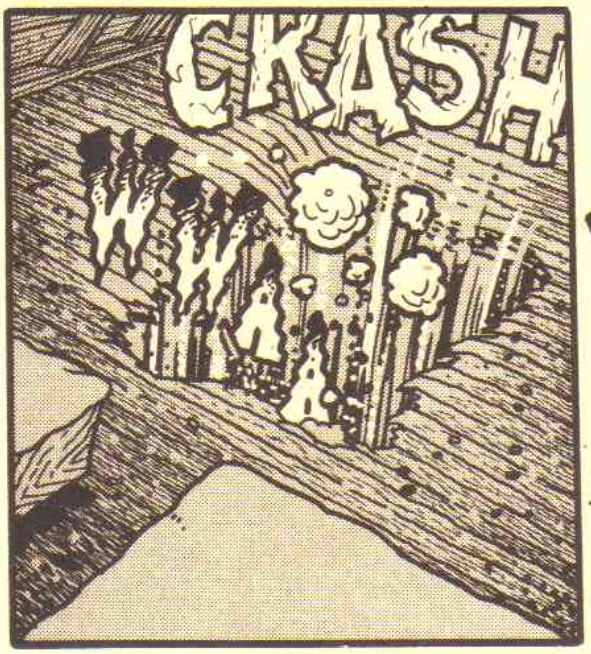


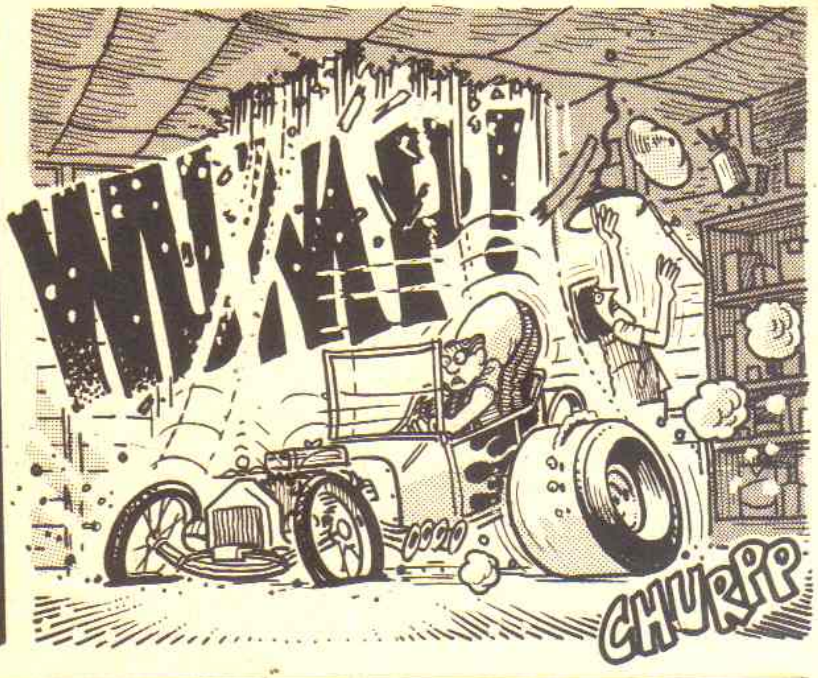


WOW... I DIDN'T THINK HE'D TAKE ME SO SERIOUSLY!

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SNEAK PREVIEW

# QUASI-MO-PED

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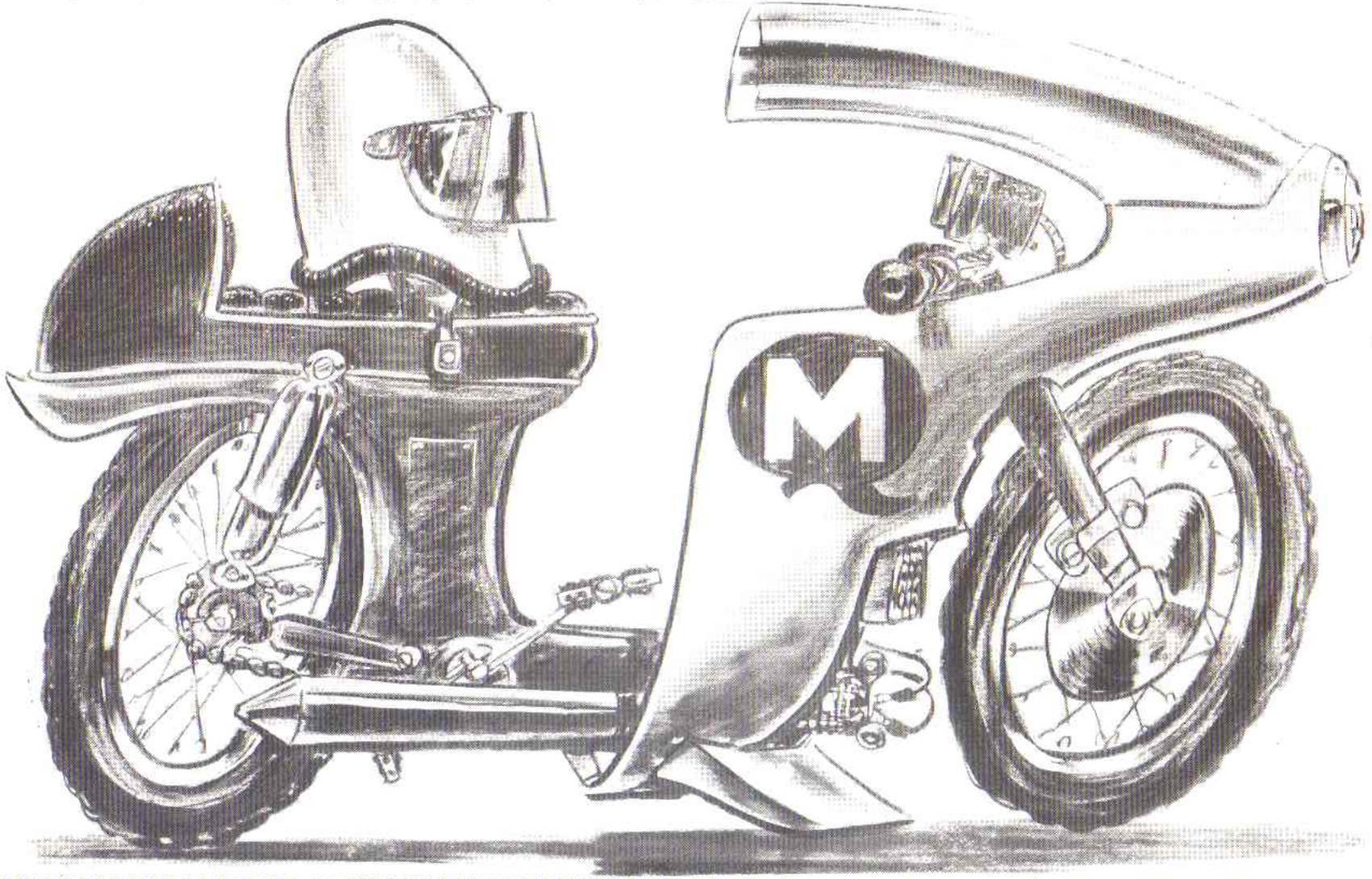
IF YOU THINK HONDA, TOYOTA, AND DATSUN ARE THE "BIG WHEELS" OF JAPANESE CARS AND MOTORCYCLES – THINK AGAIN! FOR DECADES *QUASI-MOTO* HAS BEEN NUMERO UNO (OR WHATEVER THAT TRANSLATES TO IN JAPANESE) AND IT GOT THAT WAY BY SENSING TRENDS AND FADS... AND BEING THE FIRST TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF 'EM! THEY EVEN *START* FADS... AS WITH THIS *QUASI-MO-PED*, FEATURING A 50-CC 2-CYLINDER DUAL-OVERHEAD CAM (DESMODROMIC), WATERCOOLED, TURBOCHARGED 220-HP. ENGINE....AND A 3-OUNCE GLASS & GRAPHITE FIBER ROADRACE FAIRING.



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## COMIN' AT YA!

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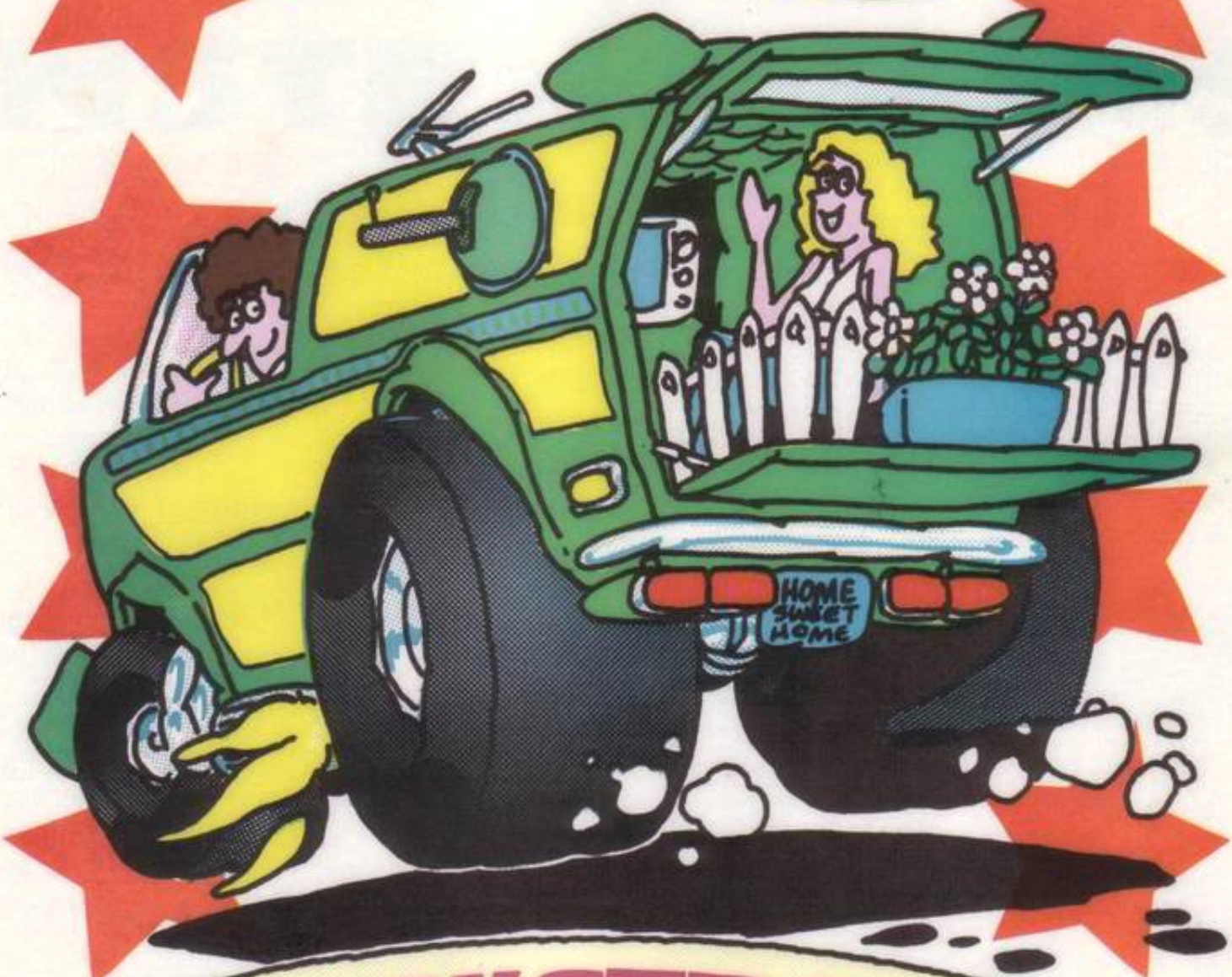


## GOIN' STRONG

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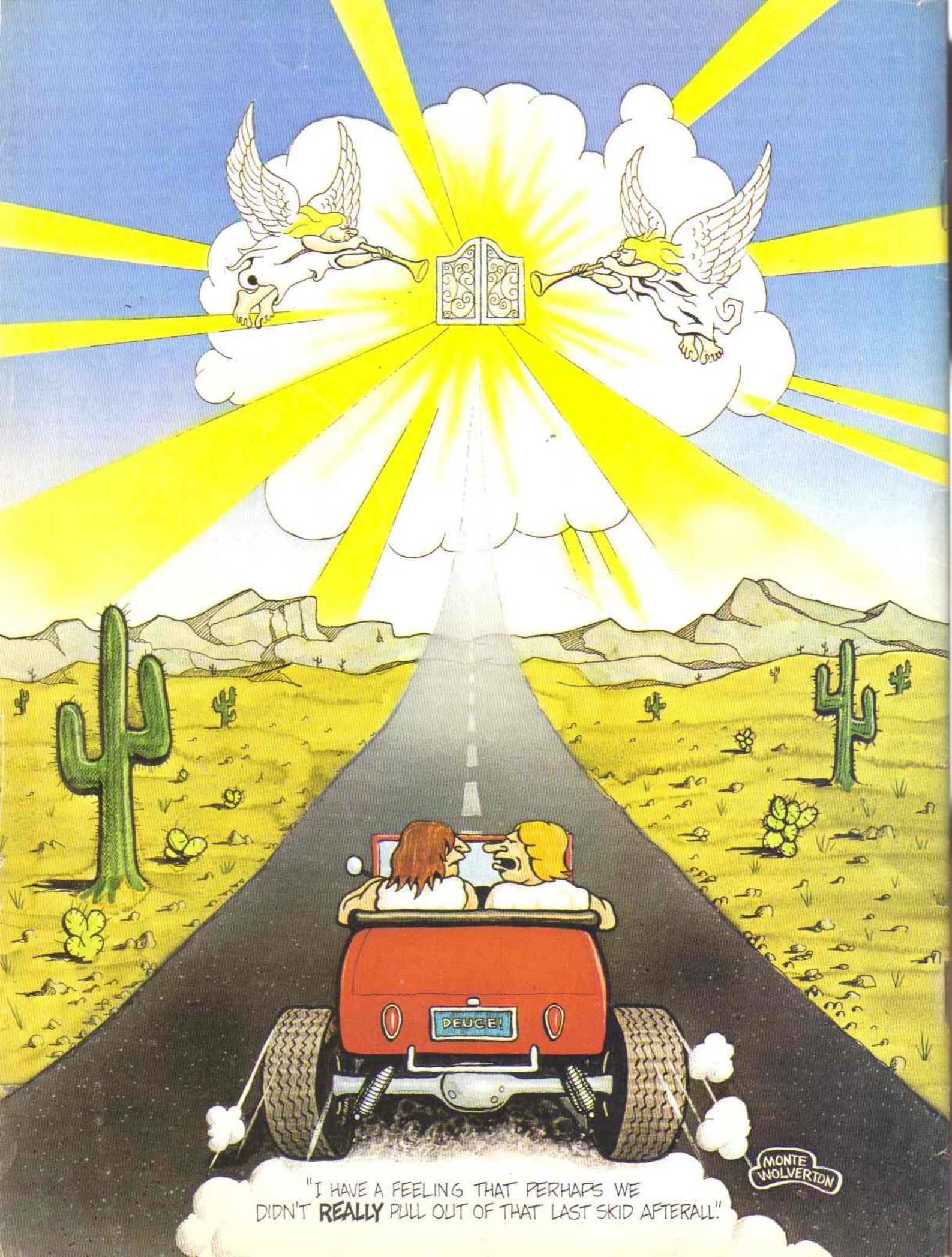


"I HAVE A FEELING THAT PERHAPS WE DIDN'T **REALLY** PULL OUT OF THAT LAST SKID AFTERALL."